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THE BRITISH FLEET New Battleships Will Be In Service In 1940

London, Oct. 28. During the present year some 32 ships for H. M. Fleet will have been completed and put into commission. They include six cruisers, nine destroyers, three submarines and fourteen mine-sweepers and smaller craft.

Next year it is anticipated additions to the Navy will include one aircraft carrier, five cruisers, sixteen destroyers, ten submarines and sixteen smaller craft.

In 1939, as far as can be forecast, new ships ready for service

will include four aircraft carriers, seven cruisers, twenty-four destroyers, seven submarines and eleven smaller craft.

In the following year 1940 the first of the new battleships built for the Navy in thirteen years will be in service. They are the King George the Fifth and the Prince of Wales. Three other new battleships and five cruisers provided for in the current programme will be ready at a later date.—*British Wireless Service.*

KING LEOPOLD

To Lunch At Guildhall

London, Oct. 28. One of the functions arranged in connexion with the State visit to London of King Leopold of Belgium will be a luncheon given by the Lord Mayor at Guildhall on November 17 following the presentation of an address from the Corporation and a reception in his honour.—*British Wireless Service.*

JAPANESE WARSHIP OUTSIDE HOIHOW HARBOUR

Hoihow, Oct. 28. A Japanese warship arrived outside the harbour of Hoihow, important port in north Hainan Island, yesterday.—*Central News.*

PRISON SUICIDE

MOSCOW TRAGEDY

Moscow, Oct. 28. Gen. Basakov, formerly one of the departmental heads of the Kiev military district, committed suicide in prison at Orel—which is the chief town of the province of the same name—by throwing himself from the fifth floor of the building into the prison yard.

The deceased had recently been sentenced to ten years imprisonment in connection with the trial and execution of General Yakir, Commander-in-Chief of the Kiev military district.—*Transocean News Service.*

FIERCE FIGHTING NEAR GREAT CHINA UNIVERSITY CHINESE REFUGEES MACHINE-GUNNED BY JAPANESE PLANE

SHANGHAI-HANGCHOW RAILWAY BRIDGE IMPASSABLE

Shanghai, October 28. The seventy-seventh day of the Shanghai war found the Japanese driving spearheads across the Shanghai-Nanking Railway towards Soochow Creek where the Chinese forces have taken up positions. While Japanese planes bombed the Chinese lines heavy artillery began shelling the Chinese rear along the Hungjiao Road area where some of Shanghai's finest British-owned homes stand including Sir Victor Sassoon's country home "Eves". A number of shells fell in the Hungjiao Road golf course where only three days ago players had been going round. The Chinese have rendered the Shanghai-Hangchow Railway bridge impassable with mechanised units but civilians entangled in "No Man's Land" are still able to make a perilous dash across this span. The Japanese claim that their troops are steadily closing in on Nanshang.—*Reuter.*

Shanghai, October 28. Fierce fighting broke out near the vicinity of Great China University, a mile west of Jessfield Park, early this morning when a party of Japanese marines attempted to cross Soochow Creek at Chouchiao Bridge. The Chinese forces repulsed the attack.

Continuing their prearranged plans to consolidate their positions south of the creek, the Chinese forces withdrew from Great China University late last night and are now well entrenched south of the creek.—*Central News.*

Shanghai, October 28. A foreign resident declared today that he witnessed scores of Chinese refugees, including many women and children, machine-gunned by Japanese planes on the north side Soochow Creek yesterday.

Scores of civilian corpses are strewn at the railway crossing and bridge at Brenan Road on the western outskirts of the International Settlement.

It is estimated that around 20,000 Chinese from the Chapel district sought entrance into the Settlement following the Chinese troop withdrawal yesterday.—*Central News.*

Shanghai, October 28. A Chinese column, the exact number of men which has not been disclosed, is still holding Pengpuichen, a small village 4½ kilometres south-east of Tazang and not far west from the Baptist Mission Eliza Yates Girls' School, according to military reports from the front.

The Japanese pushing south from Tazang towards the village last night and this morning suffered heavy casualties as the Chinese set off a number of land mines which blew up scores of Japanese. Fearing further casualties the Japanese have halted their drive on the village.—*Central News.*

Shanghai, October 28. A military communique issued to-night claims that 700 Japanese were killed west of Shanghai during a fierce encounter with the Chinese forces who have established a line through a number of villages stretching south from Pengpuichen. It is also reported that a sharp clash occurred north of Chinan Village, but the details are lacking.—*Central News.*

ITALIAN JOURNALIST EXPELLED

For Criticising French Rule In Morocco

Paris, Oct. 28.

An Italian journalist was expelled from Tunis for writing four articles criticising the French rule in Morocco. Further rioting occurred outside a mosque in Tunis today as a protest against the arrest of some Nationalist leaders yesterday. Two natives were killed and two natives and six policemen were wounded. The leader of yesterday's disturbance was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment while thirty agitators are still under detention.—*Writer's Bulletin Service.*

ROSES ALL THE WAY

MAGNIFICENT JAPANESE GENEROSITY!

Peiping, Oct. 27.

Major-General Kita, Chief of the Japanese Special Military Mission in North China, in an interview today declared that whatever form of government may be established in North China would be based on the wishes of the people of North China. Ultimately, he hoped it would coincide with the wishes of the peoples of the whole of China.—*Reuter.*

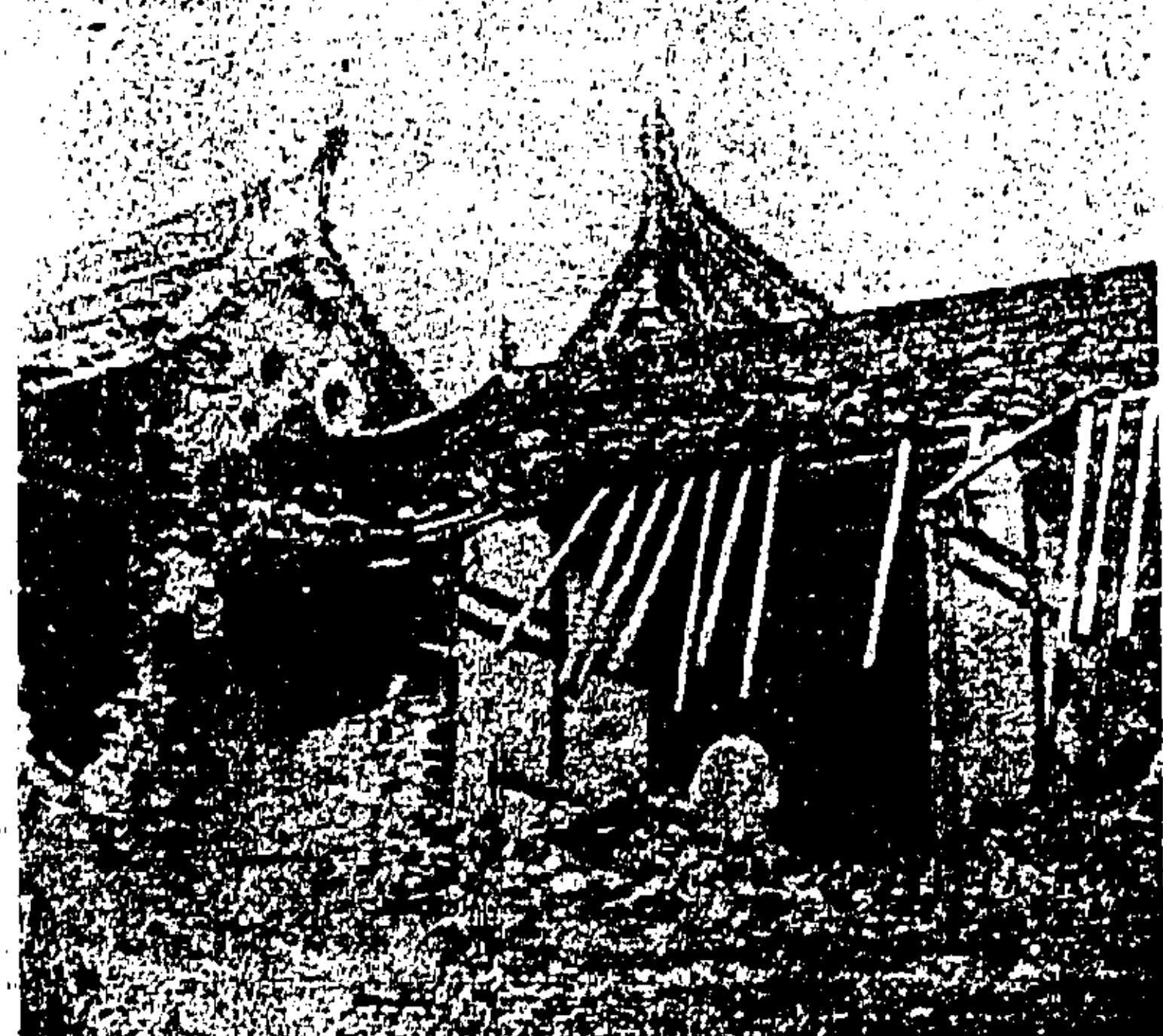
CANTON BANKERS

Urge Economic Sanctions

Canton, Oct. 28. The Canton Bankers' Associations in all countries, urging them to apply economic sanctions against Japan.

The telegrams emphatically deny that China has accepted Communism under which pretext Japan is launching her aggressive campaign in China.

The Chinese Government, the telegrams explain, is ruling the country in strict observance of the Three People's Principles of the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen, which correspond to democracy in the West.—*Central News.*



Temples and other ancient beautiful landmarks are chosen targets of Japanese airmen. Lungkwa Temple, ancient landmark in the Shanghai area, is smashed beyond repair by huge Japanese bombs.

JAPAN NOT A FIRST CLASS POWER

Whampoa, Luho and the North Station are still in the hands of the Japanese, according to reliable reports received in the Colony last evening, thus refuting the rumours circulated during the day that the Japanese had recorded "all round victories" in the Shanghai front.

Explaining the latest phase in the undeclared war in North China, a Chinese military spokesman said that the retreat of the Chinese troops in the last two days was a "strategic move" on the part of the Chinese command.

Foreign military observers, in expressing an opinion on the present situation state that owing to the poor display put up by the Japanese, so far they cannot be classed as a first class Power. On

the other hand the excellent defence put up by the Chinese has won them the admiration of the whole world. They have stood up to the rage of the Japanese naval and military guns and every inch of ground that has been gained by the Japanese has been gained at very heavy cost. The spirit of the Chinese troops is still exceedingly high and they are not in the least discouraged by what successes the Japanese have gained and treat these in the proper light—that they are all part of the war.

In reviewing the situation a high official said that since the hostilities started the Japanese have destroyed property belonging to educational institutions to the extent of over ten million dollars.

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His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, K.C.M.G., who arrived in the Colony yesterday is seen above inspecting the Guard of Honour drawn up outside Queen's Statue Pier. His Excellency the General Officer Commanding, Major-General A. W. Bartholomew, is seen walking behind the Seaforth Highlanders officer who is accompanying the Governor. (Photo, Cheng Studio).

GOVERNOR WELCOMED IN BLAZE OF COLOUR

Impressive Ceremonial At Queen's Pier

H.E. SIR GEOFFREY NORTHCOTE ARRIVES

A dull haze in the harbour failed to obliterate the excellent view of His Majesty's ships as they lay at anchor in a state of full dress yesterday morning when Hong Kong's new Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, K.C.M.G., made his official landing at the Queen's Pier.

The pier itself was no less attractively done up with a profusion of bunting above, thick crimson carpets lining the floor and flags and banners interspersed with pot palms and a variety of greenery.

The whole presented a blaze of colour, the picturesque scene being added to by the uniforms of service officers and civil servants and the top-hatted, frock-coated figures of the leaders of the Colony's community.

Outside the pier, taking up a stand on Connaught Road, was the Guard of Honour, drawn from the three branches of the Services—the Army being represented by a detachment from the Seaforth Highlanders.

The scene was typical—for have not all colonial gubernatorial arrivals and departures been marked with the same type of ceremonial for the past century and more? But that did not detract from its impressiveness and the welcome was in keeping with the dignity of the position of the King's representative.

Earlier in the morning the P. and O. Ranchi which had brought the Governor to Hong Kong was escorted to the harbour by aircraft of the Royal Air Force and two British destroyers, H.M.S. Thracian and H.M.S. Duchess.

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Kiangwan village is but a memory, with only wreckage left as grim reminders of Japanese bombing and shelling.

JAPANESE GOODS

INTERNATIONAL BOYCOTT RECOMMENDED

Wellington, Oct. 28. Mr. M. J. Savage, Premier, in reply to a deputation from the New Zealand Federation of Labour, has given many reasons why an embargo on Japanese shipping should not be imposed, reports the President of the Federation, who states that the deputation told the Cabinet that if international Trade Union action were taken to end trade with Japan, the Federation would recommend New Zealand workers to act similarly. Meanwhile the Federation will write to the International Federation asking what the intentions of other countries are in the matter and strongly recommending an international boycott of Japanese goods.—*Reuter.*

THE DOLLAR

T.T. ON NEW YORK: 30-11/16
T.T. ON LONDON: 1s. 2.7/8d.

London Silver Market

(From Our Own Correspondent).
London, Oct. 28.
London silver prices today were unchanged as follows:—
Oct. 27. Oct. 28.
Spot.....10-15/16 10-15/16
Forward.....19-7/8 19-7/8

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ADDRESS OF WELCOME

Reception For Sir Geoffry And Lady Northcote

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fine example in carrying on under
the strain of the present anxious
times and the assurance that the
whole Empire sympathised with
this Colony in the difficulties which
have beset it recently, formed part
of the speech of the new Governor,
His Excellency Sir Geoffry Northcote,
K.C.M.G. In reply to the
address of welcome presented to
him yesterday at the public reception
at the King's Theatre.

The function was a brilliant one
being attended by representatives
of all official bodies and a large
gathering of unofficials, all the
communities in the colony being
represented.

The address of welcome was read
by the Senior Unofficial Member
of the Executive and Legislative
Councils the Hon. Sir Henry Pollock
who said:

Address Of Welcome To
Sir Geoffry Northcote

Read by the Hon. Sir Henry
Pollock, Senior Unofficial Member
of the Executive and
Legislative Councils.

To
His Excellency SIR GEOFFREY
STAFFORD NORTHCOTE, Kt.,
Commander of the most
Distinguished Order of St.
Michael and St. George.

Your Excellency,
Upon your arrival to assume the
high office of Governor and Com-
mander-in-Chief of this Colony,
we, the members of this Com-
munity of every race, respectfully
extend to you and Lady Northcote
a hearty and cordial welcome.

This Colony, to which it has
increased his Most Gracious Majesty
the King to appoint you, though
small in area, is an important
outpost of the British Common-
wealth, and is one of the chief
shipping centres of the world. It
has a record of remarkable and

steady progress, and it has always
enjoyed the reputation of being a
place in which all can live in peace
and security under the flag of an
ordered and just Government.

Much of this is to be ascribed
to the close and friendly co-
operation and harmony in which
all sections of the Community live.
That co-operation has been particu-
larly noticeable between the
British and the Chinese who con-
stitute more than 95 per cent. of
the population.

We rejoice to think that Hong
Kong has been privileged once
more to assume the traditional
role of a haven of refuge, and to
afford protection to all, irrespec-
tive of race or creed.

In common with other places in
the world, Hong Kong had, until
the second part of last year, gone
through a period of acute economic
depression. In the earlier
part of this year, however, there
were distinct signs of sustained
trade revival, and the Colony was
expectantly looking forward to
better and happier times. That
prosperity has unfortunately been
shattered by the regrettable out-
break of hostilities between China
and Japan, the consequences of
which to trade and commerce it
is as yet impossible to appraise.

This setback to the revival of
prosperity, and the disastrous
typhoon which visited us on the
2nd September last, doing damage
to Government property alone to
the extent of nearly three-quarters
of a million dollars, render it
necessary to cut down public
works, apart from those financed
by loans, to a very low limit.
This is the more regrettable as the
Colony has made it abundantly
clear that additional measures for
combating the disease are an
urgent necessity; also the recent
serious outbreak of cholera and
the liability of the Colony, by
virtue of its geographical position,
to periodical epidemics, has shown
the need for a modern hospital for
infectious diseases.

It is a matter of regret that a
feeling of uncertainty regarding
the near future should permeate
this address of welcome to Your
Excellency—a welcome which,
however, in none the less warm
nor the less pregnant with hopes.

We deeply appreciate the self-
sacrifice which Your Excellency
has shown in voluntarily curtail-
ing your leave or absence at Home,
to which your strenuous work in
British Guiana had entitled you.
This is proof of the regard which
you have for the interests of the
Colony, and is a happy augury of
your career here. We are con-
fident that you, with your long and
wide experience in the Civil Ser-
vice of the Crown, and your proved
statesmanship as an administra-
tor, will surely and safely lead the
Colony past the present difficulties
along the road to renewed pros-
perity.

In your work here we pledge to
Your Excellency our loyal co-
operation.

Hong Kong, 28th October, 1937.
GOVERNOR'S REPLY
Immensely Impressed By Token
Of Goodwill

His Excellency the Governor, in
replying to the Address of Wel-
come, said:

Your Excellency, My Lords
Bishops, Your Honours, Gentlemen
of the Consular Body, Honourable
Members of the Executive and
Legislative Councils, Ladies and
Gentlemen:

The address which has just been
presented to me comes at the
climax of the cordial welcome
which has been accorded to my
wife and myself this morning; and
I would begin the few words
which I have to say at this mo-
ment with a very grateful acknow-
ledgment of our kindly and im-
pressive reception in the Colony
which we hope will be our home
for the next few years.

I should like to say, on behalf of
Lady Northcote, how particularly
grateful she is for your very kind
message on her recovery which
you, Sir Henry Pollock, were kind
enough to express in your address.

In replying to that address, I
will turn in the first place to its
closing words, which seem to me
to go to the very root of the
matter; for they hold out, on be-
half of all communities of Hong
Kong, a pledge of loyal co-
operation with me in my duties
as Governor. I am immensely en-
couraged by the goodwill evinced
by that undertaking; for from the

SUMMARY COURT CLAIM

Contractors In Dispute

Before the Puisne Judge, Mr.
Justice R.E. Lindsell, at the Sum-
mary Court yesterday, the Yeung
Fat Company (plaintiffs), of No.
20 Queen's Road Central, contrac-
tors, brought a summary jurisdic-
tion action against the Lal To
Construction Company (defen-
dants), contractors, of Whitfield
Barracks, Austin Road, claiming
for the return of goods and chat-
tels (alleged to have been detained
by defendants) or the sum of
\$778.64 being their value.

Mr. H.L. Kwan, of Messrs. Wil-
kinson and Grist, appeared for the
plaintiffs, whilst the defendants
were represented by Mr. M.W. Lo,
of Messrs. Lo and Lo.

In the claim, it was stated that
the defendants detained from the
plaintiffs, the goods and
chattels consisting of new and old
pan roll tiles to the value of \$778.64,
particulars of which were as fol-
lows: 2,750 new pan tiles valued
at \$190.96, and 3,920 old roll tiles
valued at \$58.28.

Opening for the plaintiffs, Mr.
Kwan said that the plaintiffs
alleged that the defendants de-
tained certain tiles belonging
to the plaintiffs on a piece
of ground at Shamshuipo, property
of the War Department.

HEARING ADJOURNED.

Plaintiffs were term contractors
for the War Department for three
years from August 1936 to March
1937. When their term expired
the defendants took over their
job.

Before the expiration of plain-
tiffs' term, they occupied the War
Department site at Shamshuipo
and erected matched buildings on
the site. They had four stacks of
tiles on the site.

On September 6, 1937, some
workmen, on the instructions
of the defendants, began to remove
the tiles, as a result of the
typhoon.

A report was made to the Police
at Shamshuipo, but the Inspector-
in-charge refused to decide
whether the tiles were the plain-
tiffs' or the defendants'.

One of the plaintiffs telephoned
Mr. Lai Chin Kai, managing
director of the defendant-firm,
requesting the defendants not to
remove the tiles. But the defend-
ants replied that the tiles were
their property and continued to
take them away.

Yeung Wing Hong, chief man-
ager of the plaintiff-firm, gave
evidence which was in corrobora-
tion with Mr. Kwan's opening.

After Tam Pang Wah had given
evidence, hearing was adjourned
till Tuesday, November 9, at 10
a.m.

UNEMPLOYED IN COURT

Before Mr. E. Himsforth at the
Kowloon Magistracy yesterday
morning a 32-year-old unemployed
Chinese, Lo Chuen, who was
alleged to be a professional
procureur of young women for pro-
stitution, appeared on a charge of
harbouring a 16-year-old girl
without the consent of her parents.

Detective Sub-Inspector R. Cun-
ningham said defendant and his
mistress, Sat Koo, went to a village
in the San Tak district in August
to hire women to be seamstresses
and dressmakers in Hong Kong.
He met the girl, Chan Pin-lan, and
during the absence of her mother
on a visit, took her away with him.
She lived with him in the country
and in Macao for a while, and
though she ran away twice, was
brought back by the defendant.

Later, defendant brought her to
Hong Kong and in the middle of
October rented rooms on the sec-
ond floor of 527 Shanghai Street.
On October 18, she managed to get
away again, and made a report to
the police.

It was alleged that defendant
had sold a girl for prostitution in
Hong Kong and another in Macao.

A sentence of 12 months' im-
prisonment was imposed on him
when he pleaded guilty to the charge.

MR. HIMSWORTH LEAVING

Mr. E. Himsforth, Kowloon
Magistrate, sat for the last time
yesterday morning prior to his de-
parture on furlough. He is leaving
today for England via Canada
and the United States by the
R.M.S. Empress of Canada.

Mr. K. Keen, formerly of the
Central Police Court, will take
over Mr. Himsforth's duties.

COOLIE SENT TO SESSIONS

Lower-Court proceedings against
Chan Ng, 45, street-coolie, charged
with causing grievous bodily harm
to Leung Wing, 30, another coolie,
were brought to a conclusion at
the Central Magistracy yesterday
when Mr. R. A. D. Forrest com-
mitted Chan to stand his trial at
the November Criminal Sessions.

Sub-Inspector W. N. Darkin,
prosecuting, in briefly outlining
the facts, said that about 7.40 p.m.
on October 4, defendant quarrelled
with complainant over a debt of
seven cents which he alleged was
due him as wages for carrying
bones from Wanchai Market to
Central Market. Complainant did
not agree to pay the amount and
defendant thereupon set upon him
with a chopper. Complainant fell
unconscious to the ground and
the defendant was arrested and
brought to No. 2 Police Station by
a Chinese constable.

Evidence was then taken.
Dr. P. F. S. Court, of Queen
Mary Hospital, said that when he
examined complainant he found
three cuts on the head, wounds on
both shoulders, and a cut on the
back three or four inches deep.

Other witnesses were Leung
Wing (complainant), Chau Chuen
and Leung Kin, street coolies.
Chau Wan, woman chopper-seller,
P.C. 1147 Cho Lin-po and Lo
Yuen-fan, interpreter.

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Polonais in G Flat Major Op. 74.
No. 5: Mazurka No. 17 in B Flat
Minor Op. 24, No. 4.—Moriz Rosen-
thal (Piano).

12.46 p.m. New Light Symphony
Orchestra.

Light Cavalry—Overture (Suppe).
A Life on the Ocean (Nautical
Selection—Binding).

1 p.m. Local Time Signal and
Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Variety.

Orchestral—Fairies in the Moon—
Intermezzo Entr'acte (Ewing): An
Hour with You (Elsele).—Joseph
Muscat and the Troxy Broadcast-
ing Orchestra. Banjo and Guitar
Duet—Medley of Stephen Foster
Songs: Wedding Chimes (Reser).—
The Brothers Bertini. Orchestral—
Sweetheart Czardas (Marie): Lul-
tima Parola—Tango (Ferraris).—
Don Rico and his Gypsy Girls Or-
chestra. Two Pianos—Fox-Trot
Medley—Ivor Moreton and Dave
Kaye. Novelty—Sleepy Head (from
"Spy 13").—The Mills Brothers.

1.30 p.m. Renter and Rugby Press.
Local Weather Forecast and An-
nouncements.

1.40 p.m. Hawaiian Music.

Drifting and Dreaming (Gilles-
pie): Chiquita, Waltz (Wayne).—
Ferreira and Paaluhl (Hawaiian
Guitar Duet). Rock Me in a Cradle
of Kalua (Wending): Maybe It's
the Moon (Whiting).—Frank
Ferreira's Hawaiian Trio. Kohala
March: Honolulu March.—Frank
Ferreira and John K. Paaluhl (Ha-
waiian Guitars).

2 p.m. Dance Records.

Fox-Trot—The Fleet's in Port
Again: There's a New World (from
"O-Kay For Sound").—Debroy Som-
ers Band. Tangos—Mi Musa Cam-
pera (film "Bolche"): Madrecita
De Pompeya (Martinez-Laino).—
Orquesta Tipica Francisco Canaro.
Fox-Trot—The Merry-Go-Round
Broke Down.—The B.B.C. Dance
Orchestra.

2.15 p.m. Close down.

4 to 7 p.m. Chinese programme.

7 to 11 p.m. European programme
7 p.m. Closing local stock quo-
tations and Hong Kong exchange
market report.

7.05 p.m. London Relay—"Ladies'
Night" or "Here's to the Maiden."
Re-enacting the yearly enter-
tainment which relieves the monas-
tic dignity of the London clubs.
Songs, music and echoes of the
gallantry and wit of long ago.
Presented by William MacLure.

7.50 p.m. Songs by Derek Oldham
(Tenor).

O Mistress Mine: Blow, Blow
Thou Winter Wind: Come Away,
Death (Quilter). Nocturne ("Song
of Love"—Curran).

8 p.m. Local Time Signal, Wea-
ther Report and Announcements.
8.03 p.m. Studio—Piano Recital
by Nura Kanis.

(1) 32 Variations in C Minor
(Beethoven); (2) Intermezzo No. 5,
Op. 4 (Schumann).

8.25 p.m. Light Orchestral.

Manhattan Serenade (Alter).
When Day Is Done (De Sylva-
Katscher).—Paul Whiteman and
His Concert Orchestra.

8.33 p.m. Studio—Weekly series
of talks, "Amateur Experts"—2;
Jack Grenham on Fishing.

8.45 p.m. Studio—Rev. C.B.R. Ser-
gent—21st of a series of Opera:
"Love Duets."

9.30 London Relay—The News
and Announcements.
9.50 p.m. Rimsky—Korsakov
"Scheherazade, Op. 35."

Played by Leopold Stokowski and
the Philadelphia Orchestra.

10.30 p.m. Light Variety.

Orchestral—Teddy Bears' Picnic
(Bratton): Mighty Lak' A Rose
(Nevin)—Frank Billo and His
Brass Quintette. Comedienness—
Gert, Daisy and the Knot-Hole:
The Colonization Girls.—Elsie and
Doris Waters: Banjo—White Rose
(Oakley): Tony (Oakley)—Olly
Oakley. Humorous Sketch—A Spot
of Fishing: A Surrealist Alphabet
(Clapham and Dwyer)—Clapham
and Dwyer. Orchestral—Simple
Aveu (Thome): Spring Song (Men-
delssohn)—Marek Weber and His
Orchestra.

11 p.m. Close down.

DAVENTRY

Call letters: Wavelengths

G.S.G. 17.79m.c. (16.88m.)
G.S.O. 15.18m.c. (19.76m.)
G.S.R. 9.51m.c. (31.55m.)
G.S.H. 21.47m.c. (13.97m.)
G.S.F. 15.14m.c. (19.82m.)

Trans. I (G.S.O., G.S.G., G.S.B.).

3 p.m.—Big Ben. Scrapbook for
1907: Scenes, melodies, and me-
mories of thirty years ago. Pre-
sented by Leslie Baily and Charles
Brewer. 4 p.m.—Recital by Louise
Gargurevitch (Australian Pianist).
4.20 p.m.—The News and An-
nouncements. 4.45 p.m.—The
Signature Is... featuring Carroll
Gibbons and the Savoy Hotel
Orpheans (by permission of the
Savoy Hotel, Ltd.). 5.15 p.m.—
Close down.

Trans. II (G.S.H., G.S.G., G.S.B.).

6.45 p.m.—Big Ben. Operatic
Music. 7.5 p.m.—"Ladies' Night,"
or Here's to the Maiden. Mac-
Lure: 7.50 p.m.—Recital by Basil
Parsons (Baritone) and Arnold
Richardson (Organ). 8.30 p.m.—
Dance Music. 9.10 p.m.—English
Folk-songs—2: The Southern
Counties. Winifred Radford (Soc-
rano). 9.30 p.m.—The News and
Announcements. 9.55 p.m.—Close
down.

Trans. III (G.S.H., G.S.F., G.S.B.).

10.15 p.m.—Big Ben.—The BBC
Empire Orchestra, leader, Daniel
Melsa; conductor, Eric Fogg. Wil-
frid Parry (Pianoforte). 11.15
p.m.—Mendip, Wet On? An im-
pression of its life, history, and
legend, arranged by Felix Felton
in cooperation with Eldred G. F.
Walker (North Somerset) and
Man of Mendip. 12 p.m.—The
News and Announcements. 12.25
p.m.—Musical Interlude. 12.30
p.m.—"The Noble Art" With echoes
from the old-time prize fights and
from the modern boxing ring—
champions of yesterday, to-day,
and to-morrow. Written by
Martin Stephens. Produced by
John Richmond. 1 p.m.—Close
down.

BERLIN

D.J.A. 31.58m. (95.60 k.c.)
D.J.B. 19.74m. (15.200 k.c.)
D.J.E. 18.89m. (17.760 k.c.)
D.J.N. 31.45m. (95.40 k.c.)
D.J.Q. 19.63m. (15.280 k.c.)

1.05 p.m. Call (German, Eng-
lish). German Folk Song. 1.10
p.m. An hour of entertainment.

2 p.m. News in German. 2.15
p.m. An hour of entertainment
(continued). 2.50 p.m. Greetings
to our listeners in New Zealand.

3 p.m. News and Economic Review
in English. 3.15 p.m. To-day in
Germany. Sound Pictures. 3.30 p.m.
Popular Songs from Films. Variety
Music. 4.30 p.m. Music on the Wur-
litzer organ. 5 p.m. Chamber music.

6.30 p.m. News and Economic
Review in German. 6.45 p.m.
Interview of the month. 8.00
p.m. "At Night I Gathered
Roses." Margaret Luckel-Patt
will sing songs by Johannes
Brahms. 6.15 p.m. Cheerful Tunes.

7 p.m. Concert of Light Music.
8 p.m. News in English. 8.15
p.m. Concert of Light Music
(cont.). 8.50 p.m. Greetings to our
listeners in the Netherlands East
Indies. 9 p.m. News and Econo-
mic Review in German. 9.15 p.m.
Fen Science in the Service of Medi-
cine and Agriculture. The work
of the German ten-experimental
stations. 9.30 p.m. Sonata for two
pianos, by Alexander v. Dusch. Max
Martin Stein and the composer.

10 p.m. News and Economic Review
in English and Dutch. 10.15 p.m.
To-day in Germany. Sound Pictures.

10.30 p.m. Trumpets and Soldiers'
Songs. An Army band will play.
11.45 p.m. Interview of the Month.
Midnight Sign off (German, Eng-
lish).

HOLLAND-INDIA

Call letters: P.C.I. Wavelengths
19.71 m. and 31.23 m.; Frequencies
15220kc. and 9590kc.

Wavelength 16.88 m.

Phoht-programme for the
Netherlands Indies.

13.25 National anthem and open-
ing-announcement.

13.30 Stock reports.

13.40 "Spiritual trends": "Old
Fellows."

14.00 "Tableaux d'une Exposi-
tion" Moussorsky-Ravel.

14.30 Weekly review by Mr. L.
Aletrino.

14.50 Daily News Bulletin.

15.00 Close down and national
anthem.

PARIS

Call-letters of the Station:—
Wavelength: 19.68 metres T P A 2.
Wavelength: 25.24 metres T P A 3.
Wavelength: 25.60 metres T P A 4.
Wavelength: 25.24 m.—11.535 Kc.

7 a.m. Radio-Journal of France
(French News). 7.20 a.m. Gramo-
phone Records. 7.30 a.m. Leading
Press Articles. 7.45 a.m. Gramo-
phone Records. 9 a.m. News in
French. 9.30 a.m. News in English.
9.40 a.m. News in Italian. 9.50 a.m.
Gramophone Records. 10 a.m. Close
Down.

Wavelength: 19.68 m.—15.243 Kc.

11 a.m. Concert Relayed from
Montpellier. 11.35 a.m. Gramo-
phone Records. 11.45 a.m. Talk
on Current French Events in
Rumanian, by Mme. Nortines.
12 noon. News in English. 12.15
p.m. Concert Relayed from
Toulouse. 12.45 p.m. Talk on
French Events. 1 p.m. Concert.
Relayed from Lille. 1.30 p.m. News
in French. Colonial Market Prices.
2 p.m. Literary Talk by Mr. Pierre
Descaves. 2.10 p.m. Events of the
Moment. 2.20 p.m. Gramophone
Records. 2.30 p.m. Rip, Comie
Opera in Three Acts, Lyrics by
Mellac and Jules Sernie, Mus.
by Planquette. 3.55 p.m. Rates of
Exchange and French Stock
(Renties). 4 p.m. Close Down.

Wavelength: 25.24 m.—11.535 Kc.

5.15 p.m. News in French.
Market Prices, Rates of Exchange.
5.45 p.m. News in Arabic. 6 p.m.
Concert Relayed from Strasbourg.
6.30 p.m. Gramophone Records.
6.50 p.m. Science and Mankind by
Mr. Luc Durtain. 7 p.m. Relay of
Radio-Journal of France (French
News). 7.30 p.m. News in French.
Rates of Exchange. 8.10 p.m. News
in English. 8.20 p.m. News in Ita-
lian. 8.30 p.m. Relay. 10.30 p.m.
Colonial Market Prices. 10.45 p.m.
News in Portuguese. 11 p.m. Close
Down.

Wavelength: 25.60 m.—11.720 Kc.

11.15 p.m. Concert Relayed from
Radio-Paris. 12.15 p.m. News in
French. Market Prices, Rates of
Exchange. 12.40 a.m. News in
Spanish. 12.50 a.m. News in
Portuguese. 1 a.m. Gramophone
Records. 1.15 a.m. Close Down.
3 a.m. Gramophone Records. 4
a.m. News in French. Market Prices,
Rates of Exchange. 4.30 a.m. News
in English. 4.45 a.m. Gramophone
Records. 5.45 a.m. News in Ger-
man. 6 a.m. Close Down.

AUSTRALIA

3L.R.—Wave Length, 31.34 metres;
Power, 1 Kilowatt; Frequency,
9.53 megacycles.

12.45 p.m. "At Home and Abroad"

—The Watchman. 1 p.m. Time
Signal. Victorian News Bulletin.
1.05 p.m. Interstate Weather Notes.
1.15 p.m. Luncheon Music. 2 p.m.
Recorded Music. 3 p.m. Time
Signal. Broadcast to Schools.

"Adventure in Music," by Profes-
sor Bernard Hedzke. 3.20 p.m.
Afternoon Musical Programme.

5 p.m. Close. 8.30 p.m. Chimes
Fifteen Minutes of Popular Music.
6.45 p.m. Sporting News and Notes.
7 p.m. Chimes. "Current Books
Worth Reading." 7.20 p.m. Na-
tional News Bulletin. 7.30 p.m.
Queensland and North Australian
News Bulletin. 7.40 p.m. News,
Markets and Weather for North
Australia. 8 p.m. Musical Repro-
ductions. 8.10 p.m. Sydney Mac-
Ewan, Scottish Trio, with The
A.B.C. (Brisbane) Concert Orches-
tra. 8.40 p.m. Programme from
the Melbourne Studios. 9 Brass
Band Recital. 9.30 p.m. Pro-
gramme from the Melbourne
Studios. 10 p.m. "Bullfinch and
Mainbrace"—Sea Shanties. 10.30
10.50 p.m. Meditation Music. 11.30
p.m. Australasian News Service.
p.m. Close.

**DEPORTEE GETS
SIX MONTHS**

Six months' hard labour was im-
posed on Man Yuen, 38, deported
in October last year, when he was
brought before Mr. R. Edwards at
the Central Magistracy yesterday.
Defendant pleaded he had come
down to look for his brother.

**TRESPASSING AT
BARRACKS**

Ng Fung, 26, and Mok Kay, 52,
coolies, were fined a total of \$40
or six weeks' hard labour each by
Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central
Magistracy yesterday when they
pleaded guilty to trespassing at
Victoria Barracks and possession of
110 catties of tree wood on Wednes-
day.

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SPECIAL PARAMOUNT NEWS OF
CHINA WAR
AUTHENTIC PICTURES FROM THE NORTH

TO-MORROW: "ROAD BACK"
A Mighty Successor To
"All Quiet On The Western Front"

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

KING'S:—
"The Case Of The Black Cat"
QUEEN'S:—
"King Of Gamblers"
ORIENTAL:—
"The Great Gambini"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:—
"Virgins of Bali"
STAR:—
"Riding On Air"
MAJESTIC:—
"Theodora Goes Wild"

Coming

KING'S:—
"God's Country and The Woman"
QUEEN'S:—
"Road Back"
ORIENTAL:—
"Shall We Dance"
ALHAMBRA:—
"Road Back"
STAR:—
"Banjo On My Knee"
MAJESTIC:—
"Marked Woman"

CASE OF THE BLACK CAT

"The Case of the Black Cat," the latest of the First National picturized versions of the Eric Stanley Gardner's mystery thrillers, comes to the King's Theatre to-day, with Ricardo Cortez in the role of the famous lawyer-detective, Perry Mason, and June Travis as Della Street, his secretary.

There are murders galore—one of an eccentric millionaire's nurse, one of his caretaker who owns a mad cat—and a third for good measure. Six persons are under suspicion, two of whom kill themselves. The six suspects include Jane Bryan, granddaughter of the millionaire, Craig Reynolds and Gordon Elliott, his grandsons, Nedda Harrigan, his nurse, George Rosener, the family caretaker and Carlyle Moore, Jr., the sweetheart of the millionaire's granddaughter.

KING OF GAMBLERS

The "inside story" of the billion dollar slot machine racket as it operated in a big city, is laid bare in "King of Gamblers," a daring and thrilling motion picture story which is showing at the Queen's Theatre to-day.

Written by Tiffany Thayer, noted writer of crime and racket stories, "King of Gamblers" parallels with striking adherence to recent newspaper headlines, the circumstances which led several Eastern cities to smash the racket and to consign the crooked machines to the ocean bottom.

The title role is played by Akim Tamiroff. He is supported by Claire Trevor, Lloyd Nolan, Larry Crabbe, Porter Hall, Helen Burgess and a number of other well-known featured players.

Tamiroff, an entirely unscrupulous racketeer, is in love with Miss Trevor, a night club entertainer, who does not know the man's business. She meets and falls in love with Nolan, a newspaper reporter, who is assigned to run the racketeer to earth.

THEODORA GOES WILD

There are many reasons why you'll find "Theodora Goes Wild," which opened yesterday at the Majestic Theatre, a gem of entertainment, but above all is the revelation of Irene Dunne as a glamorous, captivating comedienne.

Many believed Miss Dunne commanded such versatility but few dared believe she could be so completely charming, so deftly subtle as a light comedy artist.

For her first feature-length laugh riot, Columbia production chiefs were shrewd in selecting a vehicle which allows the star full rein in displaying talents never before disclosed. "Theodora Goes Wild" has the favor of "It Happened One Night" plus the delightful nonsense of "My Man Godfrey." Its action is fast, punctuated with rich directorial touches by Richard Boleslawski.

The supporting cast is exceptionally strong, with fine performances being given by Rosalind Keith, Leona Maricle, Thomas Mitchell, Elizabeth Risdon, Margaret McWade, Spring Byington, Thurston Hall, Nana Bryant, Henry Kolker, Sarah Edwards, Robert Greig, Mary MacLaren and others.

CHINA WILL WIN

Generals Wu And Pang Confident

Taiyuan, Oct. 28. China will win the final victory in her present war of resistance, Generals Chu Teh and Pang Teh-Hual, Commander-in-chief and Deputy Commander-in-chief of the Eighth Route Army, unanimously declared to a Central News reporter in a recent interview.

In complete agreement, both generals, whose names were literally by-words in the annals of the "Red Army" in recent years, admitted that the Chinese forces had not fared so well on the northern and western fronts, but they added that such reverses were only of a local nature, and would not affect the situation as a whole.

The following was what they had to say concerning the military side of China's defence campaign: "China is fighting for self-defence. Militarily, therefore, her tactics are of a defensive nature. But since her arms are inferior to those of the Japanese and since her national defence is by no means strong, purely defensive fighting would only invite defeats. "Consequently, we must resort to a more positive form of defence—meaning, defence in the form of offensive attacks. Before the Japanese have time to consolidate their positions, we must employ a numerically stronger force to attack them. Otherwise, if we only knew how to hold on to one spot, it would be tantamount to facilitating the enemy to effectively bring their modern weapons into play.

GUERRILLA WARFARE

"Knowing our own strong points and the enemy's defects, we should try to penetrate into the heart of the Japanese positions and keep up an incessant charge. We should always try to force the Japanese to meet us in hand-to-hand combats.

"In order that we may filter into the rear of the Japanese, there is no other better way than to resort to guerrilla warfare. Flying columns should not find it difficult to maintain strongholds at the rear of the Japanese whence they could split up and wear out the strength of the enemy. Our major forces, meanwhile, could be effectively used to make sudden attacks.

"With only a small part of our forces devoted to checking the movements of the Japanese, the latter would find the situation more difficult to cope with.

"To effectively utilize guerrilla tactics, the masses should first be organized and trained. For one must remember that to win any battle, the help of the masses is indispensable."

Central News.

CHINESE FORCES ENTER CHAHAR

Taiyuan, Oct. 28. Continuing their eastward drive the Chinese forces from Shansi, having smashed the Japanese positions at Lingchiu and Kwanling in east Shansi, have now captured Weihsien, in western Chahar, about 60 miles south-west of Kalgan.

The Chinese entered the important Chahar town on October 28. Japanese troops are now fleeing in great confusion towards Kalgan, strategic Great Wall town in south-west Chahar. Over 400 Japanese, who were stubbornly resisting the Chinese, were killed during the encounter just before the town was captured.

The occupation of Weihsien will enable the Chinese forces to threaten the Japanese positions on the Peiping-Suiyuan and Peiping-Tientsin sectors.

Central News.

CHINESE ADVANCING TOWARDS PAOTING

Taiyuan, Oct. 28. It is announced here to-day that the Chinese forces from Shansi have captured Chingfengtien Station, an important town on the Peiping-Hankow Railway about 20 miles south-west of Paoting, provincial capital of Hopei. They are continuing to push northward to Paoting.

The Japanese garrison has retreated towards Wangtu a few miles north.

The Chinese forces also captured Tanghsien, 30 miles south-west of Paoting, on October 25.

Central News.

CHINESE GUERRILLA TROOPS SURROUND JAPANESE

Taiyuan, Oct. 28. Chinese guerrilla troops have surrounded a Japanese detachment at Chanhuan in east Shansi and are "mopping" them up, according to a military message received here today.

Central News.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29

Anniversaries and Holidays:—
John Leech died, 1884. Gen. G. B. McClellan died, 1885.
Auctions.—Household Furniture, at 35 Hankow Road, Kowloon, 2.30 p.m.

Cinemas.—(See Page 5).
Dance.—Hong Kong Reel Club Practice, Helena May, 5.30 p.m.

Malls.—(See Page 16).
Meetings.—Kowloon Chess Club, in St. Andrew's 5.30 p.m.; Helena May Christian Fellowship, 10.30 a.m.

Miscellaneous.—Ying Wah Girls School Annual Speech Day, in the School Hall, 3 p.m.

Rehearsals.—Philharmonic Society Orchestral Section, Sailors' Home and Seamen's Institute, 8.45 p.m.; Y.M.C.A. Pantomime, 9 p.m.

Social.—Cheero Club Duplicate and Contract Bridge 8 p.m.; Whist and Tombola, R.W.F. Serfs. Mess, 8.30 p.m.

Sports.—(See Page 10).
Sunrise.—6.28 a.m. Sunset.—5.49 p.m.

Moon.—IX Moon, 28th. Day.
Tides.—High at 05.10 and 18.57. Low at 11.58.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30

Cinemas.—(See Page 5).
Malls.—(See Page 16).

Moon.—IX Moon, 27th. Day.
Sports.—(See Page 10).

Sunrise.—6.28 a.m. Sunset.—5.49 p.m.

Tides.—High at 03.45 and 18.22. Low at 11.08 and 23.06.

FIRM JAPANESE ATTITUDE

Tokyo, Oct. 27.

The Japanese answer to the Belgian invitation to attend the Nine-Power Conference at Brussels was handed to the Belgian Ambassador, Baron de Bassompierre, by the Foreign Minister, Mr. Koki Hirota, to-day after having been approved of by the Emperor.

As grounds for the rejection of the invitation, the Japanese Note states that the idea of holding the Nine-Power Conference originated in the League of Nations Resolution accusing Japan of violating the Nine-Power Treaty. The Note then goes on to repeat the often worded Japanese opinion that the campaign in China is one of self-defence and cannot therefore be a violation of Article 7 of the Nine-Power Treaty. The Note continues that the Japanese Government's opinion that any attempt to solve the Sino-Japanese conflict by drawing many other powers into the discussions will only make a just solution more difficult.

Japan, the note concludes, demands understanding of its action from other powers. Japan's action is solely instituted to force the Chinese Government to discontinue its anti-Japanese policy. Until this fact is recognized, stabilisation of peace in the Far East is impossible.

Transocean News Service.

CLASHES IN SHANTUNG

Tokyo, Oct. 27.

Clashes occurred in Shantung Province between Japanese troops advancing southward from Tchow and the Chinese Provincial troops, commanded by the Governor of Shantung, General Han Fu Chu.

The bulk of the Shantung army is said to be concentrated in strongly fortified positions south of the Yellow River, north of Tainanfu, the provincial capital, where strong resistance is expected.

From Shansi, the Japanese official communique issued to-night stated, successful attacks in the direction of the Provincial capital, Taiyuanfu, and from Honan Province attacks along the railway line, was recorded.

Transocean News Service.

DAY AND NIGHT ATTACKS ON HSINKOW

Taiyuan, Oct. 28. Day and night attacks on Chinese positions at Hsinkow and Linghsan in north Shansi have been launched by Japanese forces during the last two days, but have been successfully repelled by the Chinese defenders, according to a Chinese military communique issued today.

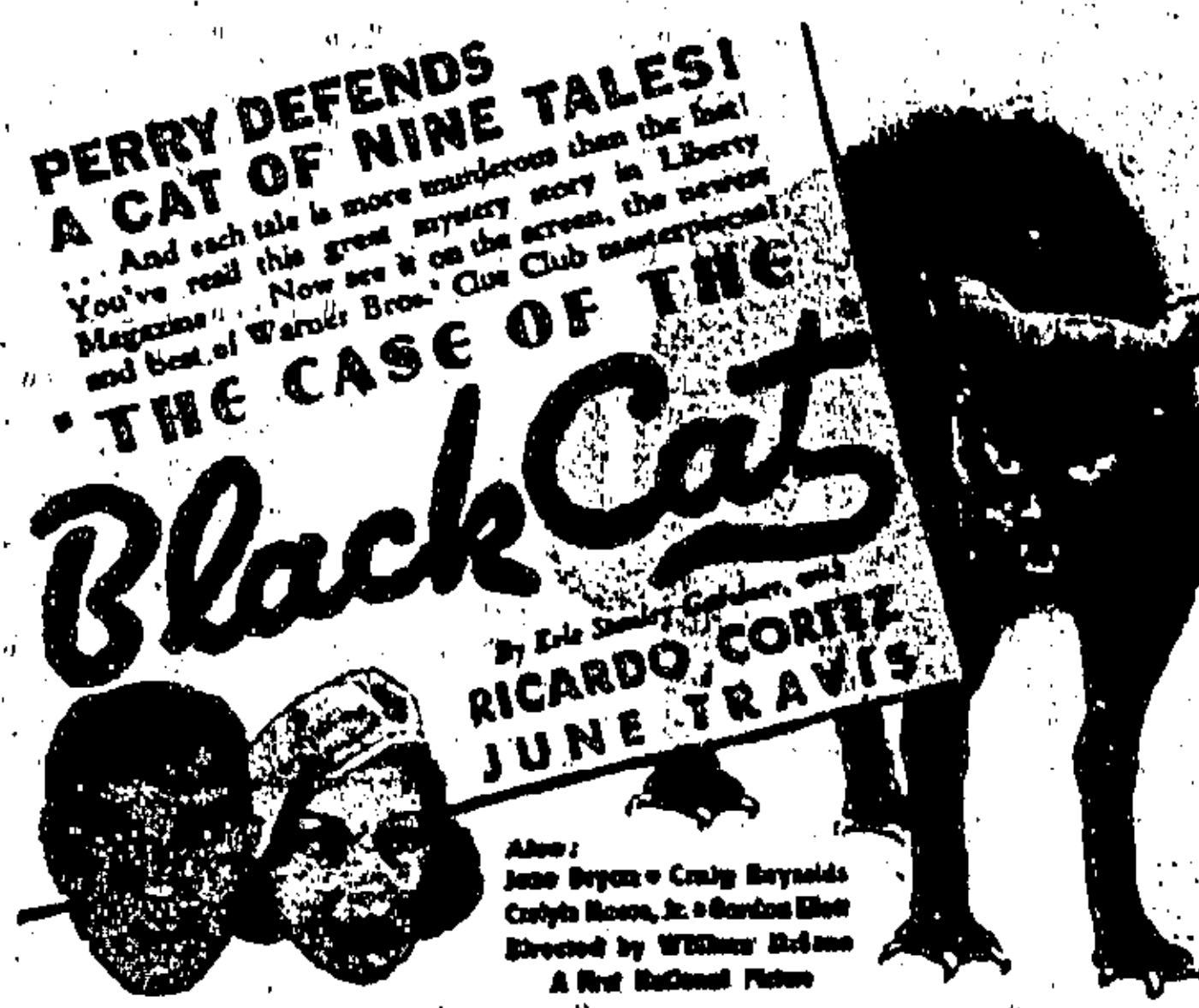
The communique claims that hundreds of Japanese have been killed and large quantities of arms seized during the encounters.

Central News.

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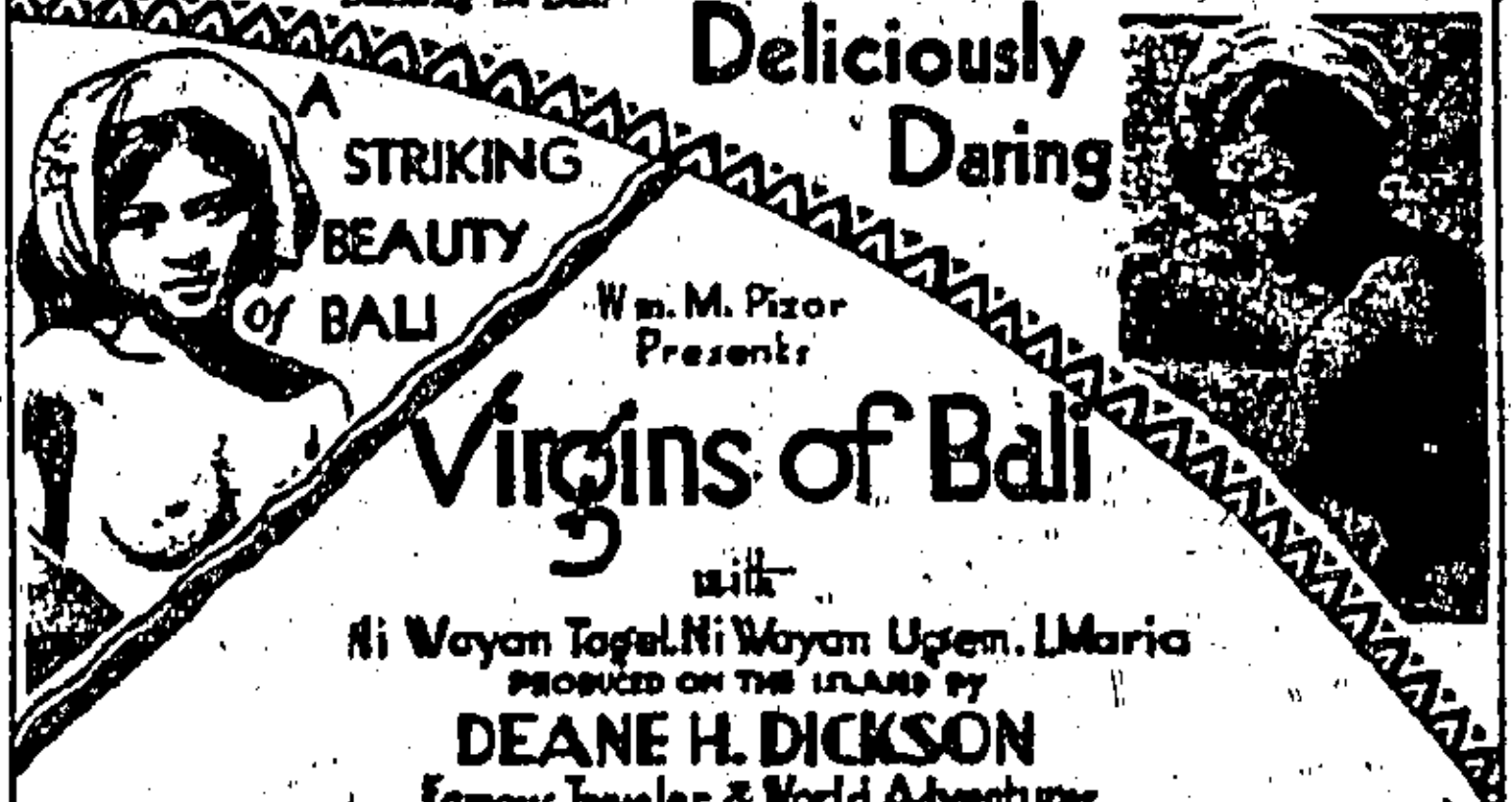
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JAPANESE HOLD CELEBRATIONS

Tokyo, Oct. 27.

On the occasion of the "victory celebrations" held in Japan on the Japanese successes at Shanghai, political circles state that "military operations in the Yangtze Valley are far from being terminated, but that the basis for the attainment of the goals Japan has set herself, has been created."

The latest Japanese reports indicate that for the time being the Japanese want to consolidate the victory in Shanghai by lines running as far as Sochow Creek on the border of the Settlement, five kilometres south of the Nanking-Shanghai railway, and west as far as the Nanziang Kating line.

According to Japanese reports

MUTINY ON THE KRONSTADT

London, Oct. 27.

A mutiny broke out on the Soviet warship "Kronstadt" in the military harbour near Leningrad, according to the "Evening Standard". As a result, 58 officers and men were placed before a firing squad and 34 others were arrested. The reason for the mutiny is said to be dissatisfaction over food.

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The Japanese troops crossed the Nanking-Shanghai railway, and reached the outskirts of Nanziang in the west, while farther north strong Japanese attacks are made on Kiating.

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SUN. : "BANJO ON MY KNEE"

VIRGINS OF BALI

A Balinese would rather be dead in Bali than alive in heaven. In these twelve words, Deane H. Dickason, producer of "Virgins of Bali," which William Flor is presenting, and which is being distributed by Principal Adventure Pictures, reveals the secret of that "lotus isle of Bali," of which the world has heard so much of late. He calls it a land of "never-ending enchantment, a rare tropical jewel in the South Seas."

The production, which has its run at the Alhambra Theatre, to-day is enacted by a native cast, and Dickason says the real charm of this small, intimate sort of island, 93 miles long by 50 miles wide, is its inhabitants, the Balinese themselves. They lend it personality, beauty, and stability. For they are a happy, prosperous, self-supporting people, so content, in fact, that nothing can induce them to leave it. Fabulous offers have been made to their musicians and dancers to journey to the

NEW BILLS IN COMMONS

London, Oct. 28.

Government bills introduced and read for the first time in the House of Commons to-day were one to make further provisions for securing the renting and exhibition of a certain proportion of British cinematograph films and for restricting blind and advance booking of films; one to amend the National Health Insurance Act so as to make certain persons under sixteen eligible for medical benefit; and another to lower from fifty to forty years the age at which blind persons become entitled to old age pensions.

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CHINESE WILL NOT ABANDON SHANGHAI

Strategic Withdrawal

JAPAN MADE TO PAY HIGH PRICE

Nanking, Oct. 28. The withdrawal of the Chinese forces to the new defence lines in Shanghai must not be interpreted as China's abandonment of the port city, a communique issued late last night by the Chinese Military Headquarters states. The Chinese forces, the communique declares, are determined to make a firm stand south of the Soochow Creek, including Nantao, and at Footung. The withdrawal of the Chinese troops from the projecting positions at Kiangwan and Chapel, the communique explains, keeps them out of the range of the guns on the Japanese warships in the Whangpoo River.

Foreign observers and pressmen, according to the communique, have repeatedly inquired of the Chinese military authorities why they have not effected this strategic withdrawal earlier. The answer to this inquiry is obviously that the Chinese forces intended to make the Japanese pay the highest price for occupying every inch of Chinese territory.—*Central News.*

RETREAT WILL NOT AFFECT RESISTANCE PLAN

Kiangwan And Tazang Lines Have Served Purpose

Nanking, Oct. 28. The withdrawal of the Chinese forces from the Kiangwan and Tazang sectors will not affect the plan of armed resistance to Japanese invasion in Shanghai, declared a spokesman of the Ministry of War to-day.

With the Chinese main defence works along those sectors almost totally destroyed by Japanese continuous bombardment the withdrawal, the spokesman said, has been foreseen by competent observers. But since the Chinese forces have held back the Japanese advance for over forty days, the lines have successfully served their purpose. The Kwangfu and Liuhu sectors, the spokesman asserted, are still being held by the Chinese forces.—*Central News.*

1,500 JAPANESE KILLED IN CHENJU

Shanghai, Oct. 28. Over 1,500 of the Japanese troops which occupied the Chenju Wireless Station were killed during their drive further southward yesterday, according to military circles.

Intercepted by Chinese rear-guards at Hsuehchia, Wuchia, and Houwangkangchah and other points just south of the station, the Japanese were engaged in fierce combats, lasting from early morning to about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Their advance was halted when over 1,500 were killed in action. Chinese casualties were understood to be about 1,000.—*Central News.*

ARMY EXPERTS PRAISE CHINESE WITHDRAWAL

Shanghai, Oct. 28. Foreign military circles praise the withdrawal of Chinese troops from Chapel and Kiangwan as a delicate manoeuvre masterly executed.

While the task of taking up a position along the Soochow Creek falls on the main body of troops, others are manning the rear or have gone to Nanhsien. The Chinese and Japanese now face each other on opposite sides of the Shanghai-Hangchow Railway bridge over the Soochow Creek, which the Chinese are expected to blow up as soon as the Japanese attempt to cross.—*Reuter.*

German Ambassador Goes To Nanking

Shanghai, Oct. 28. Dr. Oscar P. Trautmann, German Ambassador to China, accompanied by Mrs. Trautmann returned to Nanking by motor car last night. Prior to his departure, he called on Mr. O.K. Yui, Mayor of Greater Shanghai, and was host at a tea reception given at the Park Hotel in honor of prominent Chinese leaders and German residents in Shanghai.—*Central News.*

CHINESE STAND ACCLAIMED

Heroic Resistance At Shanghai

London Paper Urges Boycott

London, Oct. 28. "The Chinese resistance to the Japanese thrust at Shanghai is one of the most heroic chapters in the annals of any nation," declares the "News-Chronicle" in an editorial. "The gallant fight made by the Chinese at Shanghai should inspire the delegates to the Nine-Power Conference to make an equally firm stand on behalf of international law and order. They have a more powerful weapon than the Chinese. They can initiate an international boycott of Japan which will soon bring her to her knees and compel her to desist from this wanton act of aggression. Civilized nations cannot do less than the common soldier in China in withstanding aggression and defending their ideal."—*Reuter.*

JAPAN REGRETS KILLING OF ITALIAN

Due Compensation Will Be Made

Shanghai, Oct. 28. Vice-Admiral K. Hasegawa, Commandant of the Japanese Third Fleet, yesterday sent a representative to the Italian Consulate-General at Shanghai to express regrets at the killing of Antonio Padula, a Savoy Grenadier, by a Japanese anti-aircraft shell early in the morning.

Simultaneously, Mr. Okamoto, Japanese Consul-General at Shanghai, called on Commander L. Neyrone, Italian Consul-General at Shanghai, to express similar regrets and promise that due compensation would be given by Japan for the killing of Padula after an investigation.

During the conference, Commander Neyrone expressed the hope that appropriate measures would be adopted by the Japanese authorities to prevent the recurrence of a similar incident.—*Central News.*

NIANGTSEKUAN PASS STILL HELD BY CHINESE

Taiyuan, Oct. 28. A despatch received from the front late last night claims that the main body of Chinese forces fighting along the Cheng-tai Railway are still holding Niangtsekwai Pass. Heavy reinforcements are being rushed to eastern Shansi to repulse the Japanese troops who are frantically trying to take Chikwan and Kukwan passes. Fierce fighting is progressing.—*Central News.*

SPY ARRESTED IN HANKOW

Hankow, Oct. 28. It was disclosed to-day that a White Russian resident who was arrested on Oct. 1 on suspicion of aiding the Japanese airmen during an air raid that night, confessed that he had been acting as a spy for the Japanese.

The Russian, whose name has not been revealed, was seen using a flash light signalling to the Japanese planes when all other lights in the three cities were put out during the air raid. Shortly after the all clear signal was given Chinese police entered his house and arrested him.

During a thorough search of the premises the police seized cameras, a number of secret Russian and Japanese documents and maps.—*Central News.*

CHINESE PLANES BOMB JAPANESE

Shanghai, Oct. 28. A fleet of Chinese bombers staged a surprise attack on the Japanese strongholds in the Yangtsepo District at 1.30 o'clock this morning. They released scores of bombs on the Japanese positions before flying away.

The raiders drew heavy fire from the Japanese warships in the river but escaped unscathed.—*Central News.*

MR. COWAN DIES AT SEA

Peking, Oct. 27. Mr. D. J. Cowan, First Secretary at the British Embassy, at Peking, who left for England on sick leave early this month, died of heart failure aboard the troopship Dunera in the Indian Ocean yesterday morning.—*Reuter.*

THE BRUSSELS CONFERENCE

Japan's Stand Makes Mediation Difficult

Germany And Russia Now Invited

Washington, Oct. 28. Japan's refusal to attend the Nine-Power Conference is seen as making most difficult if not impossible, President Roosevelt's avowed aim of having the Conference mediate between the combatants.

The President is also disturbed by the fear that isolationist opinion, calmed by his announcement that peaceful mediation was the aim at Brussels, might be aroused by the fear that the United States is being drawn into attempts at coercive measures.

What measures might replace mediation can scarcely be considered. A peaceful gesture of disapproval such as the withdrawal of ambassadors might be expected to come up for consideration at a later stage, but there is every indication that the Government has not tied the hands of the United States Delegation by any prior consideration of policy along this line.—*Reuter.*

TWO NEW INVITATIONS

Brussels, Oct. 28. The Belgian Government has decided to send invitations tomorrow to Germany and Soviet Russia to attend the Nine-Power Conference. It is understood that the step is being taken by agreement with other Powers, signatories to the Nine-Power Treaty, who are attending the Conference.

It is not believed that the adjournment of the opening of the Nine-Power Conference will necessarily prolong proceedings, because the originally planned first meeting on October 30 would merely be a formal meeting to decide on the invitations to Germany and Russia, after which there would have been an adjournment of three days to await the Russian and German replies.

It is understood, however, that Russia and Germany are now being approached diplomatically, and it may be possible for them to arrange for their representatives to be present as soon as the formal opening of the meeting is confirmed.

Invitations to the meeting of the Far East Advisory Committee, which was to have been held at Geneva about November 5 have been postponed indefinitely until the Brussels conference is over.—*Reuter.*

BRITISH CABINET DELIBERATES

London, Oct. 28. The Cabinet sat for two and a half hours yesterday morning and an hour and a quarter in the afternoon. It is understood that a long discussion on the Far Eastern situation was held.—*Reuter.*

BRITAIN'S DELEGATES

London, Oct. 27. Mr. Eden stated in the House of Commons to-day that Britain will be represented in the Far East Conference at Brussels on November 3, by himself, Mr. Malcolm MacDonald and Sir Alexander Cadogan.—*Reuter.*

KESWICK ROAD INCIDENT

Mr. Eden Makes Report In Commons

London, Oct. 28. Answering a private notice question in the House of Commons, the Foreign Secretary described the attack on the British Post at Shanghai by a Japanese aeroplane on October 24, and after reciting the contents of the Japanese Note of apology, informed the House that the British Ambassador had been instructed to acknowledge the note and say that, while His Majesty's Government accepted the apology and assurances at the same time they must make clear in their opinion that retaliatory fire by British posts was entirely justifiable and must always be expected if ever any case of this kind should recur.

Mr. Eden added, "The House will not expect me to add anything further pending the receipt of the report as to the steps taken by the Japanese Government to fulfil their undertaking to deal suitably with the persons responsible."—*British Wireless.*



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THE SERVICES

(By The Air Mail, London October 16).

ROYAL NAVY

DUTY IN SPANISH WATERS

H.M.S. Southampton, Captain A. M. Peters, D.S.O., flagship of the 2nd Cruiser Squadron, has left for the North Coast of Spain, where Rear-Admiral T. F. P. Calveit, C.B., C.V.O., D.S.O., commanding the squadron, will take the duties of Senior British Naval Officer on that coast from Rear-Admiral Lachlan D. I. MacKinnon, C.B., C.V.O., who has been there for two months. The Southampton has been cruising with the Home Fleet in Scottish waters. **ENGINEER OVERSEER, BARROW** Commander (E) W. S. Jameson will succeed Commander (E) H. S. Roome as engineer overseer for the Admiralty at the works of Vickers-Armstrongs, Limited, Barrow-in-Furness. During the past three years he has been assistant to the Engineer Manager at Chatham Dockyard. Commander Jameson entered Osborne as a cadet in May, 1912, and during the War served as midshipman of the battleship Canada and sublieutenant of the destroyer Venturous. He was appointed to specialize in engineering in 1920, and from 1924 served in submarines, of which five are now building for the Royal Navy at Barrow.

LOWER DECK COMMISSIONS

An additional promotion has been made to the rank of acting sub-lieutenant to date September 1, that of acting petty officer Charles Nannestad. This makes a total of 13 commissions granted to lower deck ratings as acting sub-lieutenants in 1937, the highest in any year since the War. There were only three in 1935 and four in 1936.

INSTRUCTOR-CAPTAIN TUCK

Instructor-Captain Oswald T. Tuck, R.N., has retired after many years in the Admiralty service, and a presentation has been made to him by Sir Sidney Barnes, Deputy Secretary of the Admiralty, on behalf of colleagues in the Dramatic Society, of which he has been honorary treasurer. He has often appeared in the society's productions.

CADETS' TRAINING CRUISE

The cadet training cruiser Vindictive, Captain E. J. Spooner, D.S.O., has left Malta on the second part of her autumn cruise. From October 15 to 25 she will visit Tyra Bay and Kotor (Yugoslavia); from October 27 to November 2 Phaleron Bay and from November 4 to 9 Haifa, Palestine. Other places to be visited include Aranci Bay and Gibraltar, which she will leave on December 1 for Chatham, arriving on the 6th.

NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments are made by the Admiralty:—Rear-Admiral—N. A. Wodehouse, to President (Oct. 11). Cdr.—C. R. McCrum, to Drake (Oct. 12). Lt.-Cdr.—R. W. J. Pringle Nicholson, to Calcutta; G. T. Lambert, to Dunedin (Oct. 20); J. H. Uwin, to Douglas (Nov. 8); G. P. U. Morris, to Excellent (Nov. 4).

Lts.—J. Dalyell-Stead (F/Lt.), R.A.F., to Victory (Oct. 12); A. F. Biddulph, to Victory, for P. and R.T. School (Nov. 1), and to Shropshire (Nov. 22); G. V. W. Harrison, M. J. Archer, R. G. Wood, H. P. Byrne, I. W. Macdonald, to Victory, for P. and R.T. School; J. J. S. Rusher, E. W. R. Larken, C. P. M. Hart, H. C. O. Bull, to Drake; V. C. Begg, to Cossack; M. W. B. Craig-Walker, F. N. Elliott, P. A. Boche, H. H. H. Mullen, H. R. Law, G. O. Roberts, J. H. Crawford, to Pembroke (Nov. 1); D. P. Dreyer, to Ajax (Nov. 8); C. C. Suther, to Caracac (Nov. 22); G. W. Hawkins, to Excellent (Nov. 23).

Chaplains—Rev. L. Coulshaw, to St. Angelo, for R.N. Hospital, Malta; Rev. A. W. Jayne, to Revenge; Rev. I. B. G. Hopkin-James, to Drake, for R.N.B. and for Imprigable (Oct. 29). Schoolmaster (C.W.O.)—E. G. Birch, to Drake, for Gunnery School (Oct. 18).

RETIREMENT

Surgn. Cdr.—J. F. Pace, M.B., at own request, with rank of Surgn. Capt. (Oct. 18).

ENTRY

Rev. R. W. Knight, as Chaplain, and apptd. to Drake, for R.N.B. (Oct. 20).

THE ARMY

CHANGES IN THE HIGHER COMMAND

General Sir J. Francis Gathorne-Hardy, G.C.B., G.C.V.O., C.M.G., D.S.O., A.D.C., and General Sir Alexander E. Wardrop, G.C.B.,

C.M.G., A.D.C., have retired from their appointments as General Officers Commanding-in-Chief at Aldershot and in the Northern Command. The former completed 43 years' service yesterday, and the latter has been in the Army 45 years. The consequential changes are as follows:—

Lieutenant-General Sir John G. Dill, K.C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., as G.O.C.-in-Chief, Aldershot Command, at the age of 55 years and 10 months, on return from the Palestine Command.

General Sir William H. Bartholomew, K.C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., as G.O.C.-in-Chief, Northern Command, from being Chief of the General Staff in India (age 60 and seven months).

Lieutenant-General Sir Ivo L. B. Verey, K.C.B., K.B.E., C.M.G., D.S.O., as Chief of the General Staff in India, from being in charge of the Indian Southern Command (age 61 and two months).

Lieutenant-General Sir John E. S. Brind, K.C.B., K.B.E., C.M.G., D.S.O., as General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Southern Command, from being Adjutant-General at Army H.Q. (age 59 and eight months).

Lieutenant-General Sir Roger C. Wilson, K.C.B., D.S.O., M.C., as Adjutant-General in India, from being Military Secretary, India Office, where he was succeeded on October 1 by Lieutenant-General Sir Sydney F. Muspratt, K.C.B., C.S.I., D.S.O., who is 59 and one month. The former is 54 and 10 months.

Colonel J. G. Halsted, O.B.E., M.C., has preceded Sir John Dill to Aldershot from Palestine as A. D. Fraser, D.S.O., M.C., of the R.A.M.C. Training Establishment at Aldershot, will be promoted to Major-General on Wednesday and will become Deputy Director of Medical Services, Southern Command, India. Colonel C. W. Fladgate will shortly join at Aldershot as Chief Signal Officer. In the Northern Command Colonel A. T. Miller, M.C., becomes G.S.O.I. 5th Division, on Thursday, and Colonel J. A. Churchill, M.C., is to command the 151st Infantry Brigade from next month.

INDIAN ARMY NOTES

Major-General S. B. Pope, C.B., D.S.O., I.A., who is D.A. and Q.M.G. at Poona, has been acting as G.O.C.-in-Chief, Southern Command, has resumed his normal duties.

Major G. G. Borrowman, the second in command, has been appointed Commandant of the 1st Battalion, 4th P.W.O. Gurkha Rifles in place of Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. Hynde, M.C. Major Major C. Southgate, M.C., becomes second in command.

Major J. D. Sautter, M.C., has assumed duty as second in command, 2nd Battalion, 1st Punjab Regiment. Major A. Rosenbloom, I.M.S., is granted one year's leave from December 1 and will vacate his appointment at Army H.Q. on February 2.

THE BEDFORDSHIRES

In place of Lieutenant-Colonel C. E. G. Shearman, D.S.O., M.C., who has been promoted A.Q.M.G., Northern Command, Lieutenant-Colonel S. D. Mills, M.C., has assumed command of the 1st Battalion, The Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire Regiment at Chakrata.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

In accordance with an Air Ministry decision names are notified in orders issued recently of 181 short service officers of the general duties branch who have been selected for extension of service to complete six years on the active list. Three of them hold the rank of flying officer, and 178 are pilot officers. The period of six years is to include the time spent at a civil flying school, and will be followed by six years on the reserve. The gratuity for each of the two additional years on the active list will be £100.

BALLOON BARRAGE GROUP

Headquarters of the new No. 30 (Balloon Barrage) Group has been moved from Tavistock Place to Kelvin House, Cleveland Street, W.1. The telegraphic address is "Balloons, Rath, London," and the telephone number Museum 7402.

METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE

A revised service of weather reports, forecasts and warnings, and air navigational warnings, issues from the Air Ministry meteorological radio station at Borough Hill will shortly be introduced. New forms for the reception of these reports are being printed and will be issued to all R.A.F. units. The

DEATH OF MR. E. MOOSDEEN

Was Athletic In Younger Days

We regret to record the death of Mr. E. Moosdeen which occurred at the Queen Mary Hospital at 8.30 p.m. yesterday after a lengthy illness. The deceased was a son of the late Mr. A. R. Moosdeen, and brother of Mr. S. Moosdeen, of the Naval Dockyard.

The deceased, who was 41 years of age, was educated at Queen's College, and was formerly an active member of the Indian Recreation Club and went in for athletics in his younger days. He worked at the Holland-China Trading Company, the Navy Dockyard and latterly at the R.E. Offices but for the past year he was not able to work on account of ill health.

The deceased is survived by a widow and two children and a number of relatives, among whom are five nephews, Messrs. F. M. el. O. el, and M. el Arulli, and Messrs. A. S. and A. R. Sufiad, to all of whom much sympathy will be extended.

The funeral takes place this afternoon, at the Mohammedan Cemetery, Happy Valley, at 5.15 p.m.

TOLL OF THE ROAD

Weekly Accidents Return

In the Colony of Hong Kong including the Island, Kowloon and the New Territories during the week ending at 8 a.m. on Saturday, the 23rd instant, there were altogether 55 traffic accidents, as the result of which one person was killed and 22 persons were injured.

The person killed, a European female, aged 89 years, was knocked down and killed by a private motor car whilst crossing the road.

Of the persons injured, 16 were pedestrians, who were either walking or running across the road and were struck by vehicles.

Three bus passengers and one tramcar passenger were injured while alighting from moving motor buses and a moving tramcar respectively.

Two bicycle riders were injured as the result of collisions between vehicles.

Of the 55 accidents, 27 were collisions between vehicles; 18 were collisions between vehicles and pedestrians; and 10 accidents were due to other causes.

Type of Vehicles Involved
Private motor car 26, Motor lorry 12, Public motor car 10, Motor bus 12, Motor cycle 4, Tramcar 5, Bicycle 7 and Tricycle 1.

HEALTH RETURNS

Five cases of enteric fever, one of chicken pox, and six of dysentery were reported to the Health Authorities for the 24 hours ended at mid-night on Wednesday.

revised scheme will include hourly reports from aerodromes and stations throughout the country, although not all the stations shown on the revised forms may be included at the inception of the scheme.

R.A.F. APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments in the Royal Air Force are notified:—

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH
Wing Commanders—J. Noakes, A.F.C., M.M., to H.M.S. Furious, for duty as Senior Air Force Officer (Sept. 20); J. W. Woodhouse, D.S.O., M.C., to R.A.F. Station, Braham Newton, to command vice Wing-Commander H. M. K. Brown; H. M. K. Brown, to Headquarters, Coastal command, Lee-on-the-Solent, for armament duties (Sept. 27). Squadron Leaders—G. G. Walker, M.C., to Headquarters, No. 24 (Training) Group, Halton, for Personnel Staff duties (Sept. 18); H. R. Bardon, to Marine Aircraft Establishment, Felixstowe, for engineer duties (Sept. 20).

R.A.F. FAR EAST CHIEF ARRIVED

Air Vice-Marshal A. W. Tedder, C.B., Air Officer Commanding in the Far East, arrived here yesterday by the Ranceh. He is making a tour of inspection and will spend some time in Hong Kong.

ADDRESS OF WELCOME

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time when I received the high honour of this Colony's governorship it has been my earnest hope and I may say confident hope that I should have the full help of all classes in tackling the many difficult problems which beset us here. Indeed, I hold that such collaboration is an essential condition of success in the administration of human affairs. I assure you, therefore, that I am greatly fortified in spirit by the recognition which the address gives to that principle and, secondly, by the promise that it will be accorded to me, as from his own published words, I know that it was to my predecessor.

SHELTER FOR THE OPPRESSED

At no time could that undertaking have a greater value than at this present, shocked and strained as the Colony has been by the successive bludgeonings which Fate has dealt it during the current year. They have begotten throughout the British Empire as no doubt, you are aware, a very strong sympathy with this Colony and an equally strong admiration of the fortitude and energy with which they have been met; and these sentiments have been deepened by the knowledge that notwithstanding those disasters and disabilities Hong Kong has not failed in her now historic role as a shelter for the oppressed. I very fully share in that sympathy and that admiration, and I venture to offer sincere and respectful condolence with the countless sufferers upon whom in particular those blows have fallen by way of death or other loss. At the same time I welcome the note of undiminished courage upon which the address ends its mention of these set-backs; and when I see them faced in that spirit, I have no doubt that the clouds now about us will break.

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H.K. STUDENTS' RELIEF ASSOCIATION

At a meeting of the Hong Kong Students' Relief Association held at the University yesterday, the following resolutions were passed:

(1) That a popular concert be organised by the Philharmonic Orchestra on November 13, in the Great Hall of the University at 8.30 p.m. This is to be under the patronage of the Right Rev. R. O. Hall and General and Madame Chan Kee-yau. The proceeds will be devoted to relief work. Prices of admission, \$5, \$3, \$2, \$1.

(2) The following members were elected to take charge of membership campaign:—Messrs. Lee Ching Yiu (chairman), Lam Ka Yiu (vice-chairman), Lai Man Yat and Shek Pah Hang (Hon. Secretaries).

(3) That a charity fair be held at the Lee Theatre on December 24 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

(4) The proceeds of the concert held by the students of the Diocesan Boys' School will be remitted to the Chairman of the Central Medical Committee through the Bank of Canton by Mr. Lam Ka-yiu, Vice-Chairman of the Association, and Mr. Kan Man-wan, representative of Diocesan Boys' School.

(5) The third general meeting of the Association shall be held on November 8 at 7 p.m. at the Chinese Y.M.C.A. Hong Kong. Representatives of all schools are requested to attend.

FORTHCOMING WEDDING

The forthcoming wedding is announced between Mr. Ho Chi Yeung, clerk of Statistical Branch, Imports and Exports Department, residing at No. 48 Village Road, second floor, and Miss Tsai Kin Ki, teacher of Pui Chan Girls' School, residing at No. 23 Man Ching Fong, second floor.

PHILATELIC SOCIETY

The monthly meeting of the Hong Kong Philatelic Society was held in the Board Room of the South China Morning Post yesterday evening, during which Mr. W.E. Dennison (Hon. Secretary) presided.

The Third Annual Exhibition of the society was the subject of discussion, the date for which was fixed for December 13 and 14, to be held in the Board Room of the "S.C.M. Post" Building.

An auction of stamps then took place after which the meeting concluded.

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G. B. S. Thoresen..... 10

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Further contributions will be gratefully received by Mr. F. G. Maunders, Secretary to Earl Haig's Fund, Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank Building, Hong Kong.

Cheques should be made payable to Thomson & Co., and crossed "Poppy Day Fund."

APPOINTMENTS GAZETTED

The following appointments etc. were published in the "Government Gazette" Extraordinary issued yesterday:—

The Hon. Mr. Norman Lockhart Smith, C.M.G., resumed duty as Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Roland Arthur Charles North resumed duty as Secretary for Chinese Affairs.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. Garrod Trevorton, B.A. (Oxon.), to be his Private Secretary.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Captain Sydney Harry Batty-Smith, (Regular Army Reserve of Officers), Loyal North Lancashire Regiment to be his Aide-de-camp.

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NOTICE

The Annual Dance will be held in the Peninsula Hotel on Friday, 19th November from 9 p.m. to 1.30 a.m. A special ferry will run from Kowloon at 2 a.m. on the 20th.

Members of the Club and members of St. Andrew's Society who wish to participate in this function are requested to communicate with the undersigned at an early date in order to facilitate arrangements for accommodation.

T. P. SAUNDERSON,
Hon. Secretary.
5701

HONG KONG CRICKET
CLUB.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following Debentures were drawn at the Pavilion on Monday, the 25th day of October, 1937:—

Nos.	Nos.	Nos.	Nos.	Nos.	Nos.
3	422	186	321	446	602
5	132	201	340	518	608
16	159	219	342	523	670
23	179	227	348	537	716
67	180	287	388	555	827

Holders of drawn Debentures who desire to be paid on the 29th October, 1937, are requested to inform the Treasurers, Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth & Fleming, on or before Thursday, the 28th October, 1937.

AND NOTICE is hereby given that Debentures numbered as above which are not cashed on the 30th October, 1937, will be paid on the 30th April, 1938, after which date they will cease to bear interest.

By Order of the Committee,
A. K. MACKENZIE,
Hon. Secretary.
Hong Kong, 26th Oct., 1937.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Court has by virtue of the provisions of Section 58 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1897 made an order limiting the time for creditors and others to send in their claims against the above estate to 20th November, 1937.

All Creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 1st day of November, 1937, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Mount Kellett Road in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the purchaser (if not the applicant), will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, \$200.00 in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sub-Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Containing in Acres	Annual Rental	Upset Price
1	Mount Kellett Road.	As per plan	174	174	5693

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CHINA PROVIDENT
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Notice is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the China Provident Loan and Mortgage Co., Ltd., holding fully paid shares will be held at the Jacobean Room, 1st Floor, Hong Kong Hotel, Hong Kong, on Monday, 8th November, 1937 at 12 o'clock noon, when the sub-joined Resolution will be proposed as a Special Resolution:

That 15,633 shares of \$5.00 each of the authorised Capital of the Company unissued be cancelled, and the issued capital of the Company be reduced from \$4,421,835.00 divided into 889,578 shares of \$5.00 each fully paid and 294,789 shares of \$5.00 each upon which the sum of \$2.50 has been paid to \$2,210,917.50 divided into 889,578 shares of \$2.50 each fully paid and 294,789 shares of \$2.50 each upon which 75 cents per share shall be deemed to have been paid and that such reduction be effected in the following manner:—

- By cancelling Capital which has been lost or is unrepresented by available assets to the extent of \$2.50 per share upon each of the 889,578 fully paid shares of the Company which have been issued, and to the extent of \$1.75 per share upon each of the 294,789 partly paid shares of the Company which have been issued.
- By releasing the holders of the said 294,789 partly paid shares which have been issued from liability in respect of their shares to the extent of 75 cents per share.

By Order of the Board,
J. C. GUTERRES,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 30th Sept., 1937.

CHINA LIGHT AND
POWER COMPANY,
LIMITED.

NOTICE

THE NINETEENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Head Office of the Company, St. George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hong Kong, on Monday, 20th December, 1937, at 12 o'clock (Noon), for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the financial year ended 30th September, 1937, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from Friday, 26th November, 1937, to Monday, 20th December, 1937, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
NOEL BRAGA,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 26th Oct., 1937.

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J. C. GUTERRES,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 30th Sept., 1937.

TERRITORIAL ARMY
CHIEF

Colonel Sir John Brown
Appointed

London Oct. 28.

Colonel Sir John Brown has been appointed Deputy Director General of the Territorial Army at the War Office, in accordance with the reorganisation foreshadowed by the War Secretary a week ago to provide for the new importance of the Territorial Army in the scheme of National defence.

Colonel Brown has been granted the local rank of Major-General, the first to be gazetted in the Territorial Army since the War. An architect in professional life, he joined the volunteers as a private at 21, and during the Great War served in Gallipoli, Egypt and Palestine, first as adjutant and afterwards as Commanding Officer of the Fourth Territorial Battalion of the Northamptonshire Regiment. He was National Chairman of the British Legion for four years.

BETTER RECRUITING
Army recruiting figures were up again last week. The intake of recruits for the regular Army in all districts showed an increase of 288 over the corresponding week last year, the total being 629, out of which 314 joined the Infantry.

—British Wireless.

KINMEN TAKEN

Shanghai, Oct. 27.
Japanese Marines occupied the strategically important island of Kinmen, which is situated off the harbour of Amoy. The occupation was preceded by a heavy bombardment. As the first result of the bombardment, shipping between Amoy and Chuangchow has been suspended.

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The Daily Press.
友之國中

Hong Kong, October 29, 1937.

COLD-BLOODED
MURDER

There was an atrocity committed by the Japanese soldiery on Wednesday night in Chapel which has left a deep crimson stain on the escutcheon of that nation which not all the goodwill in the world can ever wash away.

It was definitely established by an eye-witness reporter of a reputable newspaper in Shanghai that the Japanese, having surrounded Chinese soldiers, forced them at the point of the bayonet to dig graves and then, having coldly watched the fœmen who were "worthy of their steel dig those graves, they killed them and threw them into the yawning earth.

This, in the twentieth century, by the representatives of a nation which claims equality in the councils of nations where civilized conduct is regarded as sacred!

When one contemplates this ghastly atrocity it is positively physically as well as mentally sickening. It would take a normal man at least one solid hour to dig his grave, and it is to be presumed that no matter how intensely one detested a person, time should have a cooling influence. However, at the end of the grave-digging the Japanese were apparently as blindly furious as at the start and they slaughtered their unarmed opponents without the slightest compunction. Soldiery that will do that will do anything. At the expense of China, the world is receiving its warning as to what may be expected if Japanese militarism is allowed to run wild.

Even if such treatment were meted out to cowards and traitors it would be very questionable, but to misbehave thus to honourable opponents is simply beyond the pale. It is a sign of hysteria, madness, confusion. No nation that was in any degree sure of itself would allow officers and men wearing its uniform and saluting its flag to conduct themselves with such inhuman ferocity. By the perpetration of this appalling atrocity the Japanese have sunk to the unpalatable depths of national infamy.

Perhaps we should not express surprise or revulsion at what they do now after what they have done. Any nation which deliberately sets its fighting forces to bomb and shell defenceless cities, towns and villages, thereby committing mass murder against thousands of the unarmed women, children and non-combatant men, is capable of perpetrating the grossest acts of militaristic indecency. But the cultural and ethical background of the Japanese nation stands in bold contrast to such crude animal conduct.

What then, can it all mean? We have written before, and we maintain our premise holds good as ever to-day, namely, that this war of unpardonable aggression has been foisted on the mass of the people of Japan by a coterie of military terrorists whose blood-lustful ambitions there is absolutely no limit. How long will it take for the will of the people to make itself felt?

PHILIPPINE REVIEW

Mining In P. I.

Steady progress in the Philippines in the development of basic metal industries has stirred worldwide interest which has been sharpened in recent weeks as the Sino-Japanese warfare made strategic metals of vital concern to Far Eastern and other governments, writes a "Manila Bulletin" correspondent.

Expansion in Philippine shipments of chromite, manganese and iron ore, and exploration for high-grade copper ore has for the moment overshadowed the earlier intense interest in the gold production which the Philippines developed in the last five years. Gold mining in the Philippines had a historical background and there was nothing extraordinary in its steady increase after depression conditions had caused the United States and other countries to appreciate the price of the yellow metal.

This correspondent talked informally with various metals trade authorities here and found that the current interest in the Philippines production has not yet crystallized into fixed ideas as to the policy of the United States toward the basic metals industries in the Philippines. This phase of the forthcoming report of the joint preparatory commission now studying Philippine economic adjustment will be of special importance.

Policy Questions

Some of the questions of policy that might be expected to arise here in event of further growth of metals production in the Philippines would be the tariffs; the encouragement or contrary of large-scale American private investments in the islands; advisability of fostering industries for which the Philippines market would be chiefly in countries which compete acutely with the United States in iron and steel industries; a possible tie-up between the Philippines as source of supply and an expanded steel and iron industry on the Pacific coast of the United States.

Recent events in United States-Philippine economic and political relations have suggested that the commercial and industrial relations between the United States and the Philippines were evolved during the first quarter of a century, without a clear long-term policy, with the result that drastic readjustments have become necessary in the period when the Philippine Commonwealth is preparing for independent nationhood.

In historical perspective, the United States economic policy merely established a traditional "colonial" trading system without having the political purpose of permanently maintaining the corresponding political relationship. By generous treatment of sugar, coconut oil, abaca and tobacco, this country fostered a production system in the islands, which a majority of United States Senators and Congressmen later presumed to be largely in conflict with indispensable factors in the United States production.

Information from an unimpeachable source came to us yesterday which clearly shows that from one end of Japan to the other, the people are being given a surfeit of war propaganda which constitutes the most gross, foul and bewildering mass of shameless perversion that has ever disgraced the Press of any nation in the world of modern times. Our informant, who studied the position on the spot, was sceptical as to how much of this propaganda was believed by the masses in Japan, but he had every reason for believing that opposition to the national policy was growing apace.

It is extremely unlikely that any section of the Japanese Press will carry the grave-digging-murder story, but truth has a way of filtering through even the most closely-knit censorship, and, in anticipation of the time when it does, we offer our sympathies to the great dumb masses of Japan for the awful shame which their military-masters have brought upon them.

KNOWING, DOING,
AND BEING

The record of the last meeting of the British Association, which was held in London recently, encourages the almost universal tendency to see man as a complex of three elements, which can, at least in theoretical analysis, be considered and treated separately. The Association, as a body constituted for the advancement of science, has a special and aboriginal connexion with one factor in the triad. The object of its existence is to add to the sum and accuracy of what men know. For long, too, it has interested itself in what men do with that increasing knowledge, in its application to agriculture, manufacture, engineering, and the rest of human activities. Its last meeting shows the Association very much alive to the third member of the trio. It asks itself what manner of man it shall be to whom the new knowledge and the new application of knowledge may rightly be entrusted. It is not enough to heap up new knowledge, however interesting, or to think out new uses for it, however ingenious. The nature of the being who is to wield the new powers

becomes all the more important with their growth. Education takes the floor—education not in the narrow role of a pouring of information into a more or less retentive receptacle, but as a process designed to evoke, enhance, and train the natural faculties of the individual according to a consciously and carefully determined scale of values. Brain and brawn are all very well in their way. Certainly nothing can be accomplished without one or both of them. But each is an unpredictable and potentially dangerous instrument unless it is directed by that character at which the right education aims.

We are all familiar with this threefold division in our own lives and in the lives of those around us. It is quite possible to accumulate knowledge and yet to be utterly ineffective. One of our Kings was "the most learned fool in Christendom," who never said a foolish thing and never did a wise one. Many of us are sadly accustomed to the possibility of knowing the right thing to do and yet failing miserably to do it. Others, not endowed perhaps with any great store of knowledge, have a gift for action. They pride themselves on making up their minds quickly and acting promptly. They are contemptuous of those who, from whatever motive, waver, dawdle, and procrastinate. But their lack of knowledge often betrays them, and their very forefulness takes them headlong on a mistaken course. The combination of wide knowledge with capacity for swift action avoids both these pitfalls. But even this by itself is not enough. It might be found in the brilliant crook no less than in the saviour of a nation. The third element is always needed, the character trained to use both gifts according to the highest standard that it knows. Religion in particular is aware of the necessity of the threefold cord. Dogma by itself leads to a barren nowhere. Works without faith are dead. The living reality is the soul which, knowing what it believes, cannot rest without translating its faith into the terms of every-day existence. That is what the preacher means when he says that true religion is not just a creed nor even doing good deeds, but a way of life.

WATCHWORD OF FASCIST YEAR IS "PEACE"

Anniversary Of March On Rome

Rome, October 28.

The watchword of the sixteenth Fascist year beginning to-day would be "peace" declared Il Duce when addressing two hundred thousand Fascists at the Mussolini Forum on the occasion of the fifteenth anniversary of the Fascist march on Rome.

Il Duce said that the word "peace" which was used and abused by reactionary and so-called democracies would resume its profound human meaning when used by us who fought and are ready to fight again.



MUSSOLINI

Signor Mussolini reviewed Fascist achievements during the past fifteen years and which culminated in the re-birth of the Empire of Rome, accomplished with taking a single square metre from the empire of other nations. With the mentioning of Colonial clauses by name, Il Duce announced that "the absurd clauses of peace treaties must be revised and great people like Germany must have its rightful place in the world."

In honour of the anniversary, newspapers in Italy were allowed the issuing of eight pages from to-day until Saturday. Six pages were only allowed by a recent decree owing to the scarcity of newsprint.

Reuter's Bulletin Service.

JAPANESE NOTABLES REPLY TO CRITICS

NO INTENTION TO ATTACK

Who Began The Hostilities?

London, Oct. 28.

Prince Tokugawa and other Japanese notables, in reply to the "Times" and other critics of their letter regarding who began the hostilities in Shanghai, insist that the Japanese forces in Shanghai on August 31, were only 3,500 blue-jackets, including the 1,000 who were landed on August 11.

"In view of this tremendous disparity between this force and the Chinese troops who outnumbered the Japanese blue-jackets by ten to one, it cannot be seriously suggested that the Japanese were the attackers."

The letter asserts that the Japanese Consul on August 13, after desultory fighting had broken out in the Hongkew area, endeavoured, through the medium of the British, American, and French Consuls, to arrange a mutual Sino-Japanese withdrawal.

"No reply was received by the Japanese Consul, but the fact that such a proposal was made is decisive proof that there was no intention to attack."

Reuter.

PEIHOUKANG, QUINSAN BOMBED

Soochow, Oct. 28: Peihoukang, about 30 miles east of Soochow, and Quinsan, on the Nanking-Shanghai Railway, were the scenes of severe bombings by Japanese planes yesterday.

At Peihoukang several huge fires were started by incendiary bombs dropped by sixteen raiders, whilst at Quinsan large numbers of bombs were rained in the suburbs. One Japanese plane was brought down by Chinese anti-aircraft shells at Chingyangkang, south of Soochow. The three occupants were injured during the crash.

Central News.

JAPANESE PLANES RAID SOOCHOW

Soochow, Oct. 28: In eight flights to Soochow to-day Japanese planes rained bombs upon the railway station and sprayed machine-gun bullets upon the city. However, negligible damage was incurred.

Handbills of a preposterous nature were distributed over the city during one "visit."

Central News.

PROSPERITY IN BRITAIN

London, Oct. 28.

Further indication of Britain's prosperity is provided by the September retail trade report. The value of sales last month was 8.6 per cent higher than in September, 1936. This in turn was 4.5 per cent higher than in September, 1935. Last month's increase is the largest since May when the figures were affected by Coronation expenditure. The value of retail stocks at the end of September was 7 per cent higher than a year ago. It was the largest increase since the statistics were first compiled.

British Wireless.

PROTECTION FOR BRITISH FILM INDUSTRY

Quota For Short Films

London, Oct. 28.

The Cinematograph Films Bill was presented in the House of Commons yesterday and the next, following closely on the July White Paper is being issued to-day. The Bill continues the protection afforded to the British film production industry by the Cinematograph Films Act of 1927.

Part one of the Bill provides that renters of films must acquire and exhibitors must show a certain proportion of British films annually for a further period of ten years.

This quota increases during the ten year period by stages from 15 to 30 per cent. for long films and from 10 to 20 per cent. for short films. The Bill introduces for the first time a separate quota for short films.

British Wireless.

SHARP BURST OF ACTIVITY

London Stock Exchange

London, Oct. 28.

A sharp burst of activity occurred at the opening of the London Stock Exchange this morning following news of lower margin requirements on Wall Street. International issues especially commanded attention and prices in other sections hardened sympathetically.

Well-informed quarters are of the opinion that lower margins on Wall Street should at least induce more stable conditions than those witnessed during the past six weeks in both stock and commodity values and satisfaction is derived from the fact that the United States authorities are fully alive to the dangers of a protracted stock market decline.

Nevertheless, it is pointed out, the slump originated from causes which high margins only accentuated such as declining steel mill activity. It is the opinion that the long range trend of Wall Street is inextricably bound up with the future course of American industry the prospects of which are viewed by London with moderate optimism despite, as the "Financial News" points out, the fact that President Roosevelt's campaign for curtailment of expenditure can hardly be regarded as a helpful factor in this connection.

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REPUBLIC OF JAPAN WILL SEE END OF WAR

Paris, Oct. 28.

A suggestion has been made that if China can continue to resist the invader "it may be a republic of Japan which will see the end of the war" is made by Madame Tabouret writing in "l'Ouvrier". The writer asserts that this can be ascertained from private letters of certain big Japanese statesmen.

Reuter.

PERIOD OF TRADE EXPANSION

Not Come To An End

London, Oct. 28.

The debate in the House of Commons on the Address to the Throne was continued last night and will be resumed to-day. The Government's social policy was under discussion last night and in winding up the debate the Minister of Transport, Dr. L. Burgin reminded the Labour Party critics that greatly increased sums were made available for social reforms than ever before.

In 1931 the amount spent was £171,000,000 and in 1937 it was £219,000,000 in spite of the burdens of debt and rearmament. There were, he added, one million more citizens in employment than in 1931.

Referring to comments on the rise in cost of commodities he said a reasonable rise in wholesale prices of primary commodities was a desirable feature. One of the advantages that had accrued in the last six years had been the steady climbing back to remunerative prices for planters and growers. The Government did not believe that the period of trade expansion had come to an end. All the evidence reaching the Government was to the contrary effect.

British Wireless.

NITRIC ACID

Order For Increased Output In Japan

Tokyo, Oct. 28.

Nitric acid factories of Japan have been ordered to increase their output to their fullest capacity. This is understood to be due to the demand for nitric acid for use in connection with the hostilities in China.

Reuter's Bulletin Service.

FOREIGN WOMEN IN SHANGHAI

To Aid Chinese Wounded

Shanghai, Oct. 20: Over 300 British, American, French, German and Russian women leaders in Shanghai were entertained at a special reception this afternoon given by various Chinese women's organisations.

The foreign women pledged to continue to raise funds for the wounded Chinese soldiers and refugees. They also unanimously adopted a resolution to cable the International Women's Federation to support the Nine-Power Treaty.

Central News.

TOWN NEAR NANKING-SHANGHAI LINE BOMBED

Nanking, Oct. 28: Six Japanese planes flying along the Nanking-Shanghai railway line to-day released a number of bombs on Pin-niuchen near Tanyang, about 50 miles east of Nanking. The details of the attack are not available.

Central News.

FIRES RAGING IN CHAPEI

Shanghai, Oct. 28: Although a number of fires have burned out, there are still vast areas in the Chapei districts still in flames to-night. The smoke and flames are visible from the French Concession and International Settlement areas.

Central News.

KOWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY (AMENDED) TIME TABLE

UP TRAINS

STATIONS	Local	Slow	Up	Local	Up	Local	Up	Local	Up	Local	Up	Local	Up	Local	Up	Local	Up	Local	Up
	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Kowloon-Dep.	6.21	6.33	6.54	6.55	12.08	12.50	1.18	1.50	1.50	2.31	3.32	3.50	3.58	4.20	4.20	4.58	4.58	5.20	5.20
Yauwatt-Dep.	6.23	6.35	6.56	6.57	12.10	12.52	1.20	1.52	1.52	2.33	3.34	3.52	3.60	4.22	4.22	4.60	4.60	5.22	5.22
Shatin-Dep.	6.41	6.53	7.14	7.15	12.28	13.10	1.38	1.40	1.40	2.51	3.52	4.10	4.18	4.40	4.40	4.78	4.78	5.40	5.40
Taipei-Dep.	7.01	7.13	7.34	7.35	12.48	13.30	1.58	2.00	2.00	3.11	4.12	4.30	4.38	4.60	4.60	4.98	4.98	5.60	5.60
Taipei Market-Dep.	7.08	7.20	7.41	7.42	12.55	13.37	2.05	2.07	2.07	3.18	4.19	4.37	4.45	4.67	4.67	5.05	5.05	5.67	5.67
Fanning-Dep.	7.19	7.31	7.52	7.53	13.05	13.47	2.15	2.17	2.17	3.28	4.29	4.47	4.55	4.77	4.77	5.15	5.15	5.77	5.77
Shungshui-Dep.	7.34	7.46	8.07	8.08	13.22	14.04	2.30	2.32	2.32	3.43	4.44	4.62	4.70	4.92	4.92	5.30	5.30	5.92	5.92
Shenchuan-Dep.	7.43	7.55	8.16	8.17	13.31	14.13	2.39	2.41	2.41	3.52	4.53	4.71	4.79	5.01	5.01	5.39	5.39	6.01	6.01
Canton-Dep.	7.50	8.02	8.23	8.24	13.38	14.20	2.46	2.48	2.48	4.00	5.01	5.19	5.27	5.49	5.49	5.87	5.87	6.49	6.49
Canton-Arr.	11.50	12.00	12.21	12.22	4.57	5.07	5.28	5.38	5.59	6.10	6.31	6.41	6.62	6.72	6.93	7.03	7.24	7.34	7.55

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Canton-Dep.	6.21	6.33	6.54	6.55	12.08	12.50	1.18	1.50	1.50	2.31	3.32	3.50	3.58	4.20	4.20	4.58	4.58	5.20	5.20
Shenchuan-Dep.	7.06	7.18	7.39	7.40	12.26	13.08	1.36	1.38	1.38	2.49	3.50	4.08	4.16	4.38	4.38	4.76	4.76	5.38	5.38
Shungshui-Dep.	7.13	7.25	7.46	7.47	12.33	13.15	1.43	1.45	1.45	2.56	3.57	4.15	4.23	4.45	4.45	4.83	4.83	5.45	5.45
Fanning-Dep.	7.18	7.30	7.51	7.52	12.38	13.20	1.48	1.50	1.50	3.01	4.02	4.20	4.28	4.50	4.50	4.88	4.88	5.50	5.50
Taipei Market-Dep.	7.29	7.41	8.02	8.03	12.49	13.31	1.59	2.01	2.01	3.12	4.13	4.31	4.39	4.61	4.61	4.99	4.99	5.61	5.61
Taipei-Dep.	7.37	7.49	8.10	8.11	12.57	13.39	2.07	2.09	2.09	3.20	4.21	4.39	4.47	4.69	4.69	5.07	5.07	5.69	5.69
Shatin-Dep.	7.58	8.10	8.31	8.32	13.18	14.00	2.28	2.30	2.30	3.41	4.42	4.60	4.68	4.90	4.90	5.28	5.28	5.90	5.90
Yauwatt-Dep.	8.11	8.23	8.44	8.45	13.31	14.13	2.41	2.43	2.43	3.52	4.53	4.71	4.79	5.01	5.01	5.39	5.39	6.01	6.01
Kowloon-Arr.	11.57	12.07	12.28	12.29	5.04	5.26	5.48	5.50	6.12	6.34	6.56	6.58	7.20	7.42	7.64	7.86	8.08	8.30	8.52

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CAMERA CLUB ANNUAL MEETING

Service Membership Reduction

REGRET EXPRESSED

Regret was expressed by Mr. A. R. Brown when he presided at the annual general meeting of the Camera Club held at the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home last evening, regarding the reduction in Service membership owing to the uncertainty of the movements of troops and Naval units in Hong Kong.

The Chairman said, in part: "It is customary for us to review briefly the last season's work, the highlight of which was of course, our Annual Exhibition, held in March last. To this event we can all look back with satisfaction, for it was indeed a pronounced success, and we record our deep sense of appreciation to the organisers and judges. This success was also due in no small degree to the assistance and support of the various local firms who are interested in the Photographic Trade, and to whom we record our sincere thanks."

THANKS EXPRESSED

We also desire at this point to thank the General Committee of the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home, who grant us the free use of dark room with electric supply, and also the use of this Quiet Room for our meetings. With our thanks to the General Committee I couple on your behalf, the name of Mr. E. W. Fielding, our Honorary Secretary. We are glad to say that our financial position at the end of last season was such that your Committee found it possible to make a grant of \$30 towards the clearing of the Extension Debt on this building, in which part our Dark Room is situated.

Progress during last season was mainly confined to improvement and additions to equipment, and we are now in the happy position of possessing almost everything we require. In view of this fortunate state of affairs, it is with regret that we have to record a serious reduction in the number of our Services Members, due to the difficulties caused by movements of

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These buildings were both in and out of the war zones and it was added that the damage was done deliberately and intentionally, though none of these places sheltered any troops.

The attitude of the Chinese people at the present time may be summed up from the following statement, made by the combined Chambers of Commerce in China to the American Chambers:

"The Chinese are united in this struggle against the Japanese who are invading the country under the pretext that China has accepted communism. China has not accepted communism. On the other hand the communists have rallied to the support of China, placing themselves under the orders of the Central Government at Nanking."

ships and units. It is your Committee's firm conviction that a Club such as this, and situated in the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home fulfils a real need amongst Service Men, providing as it does for developing knowledge of a useful and fascinating subject, either for pursuing as a hobby, or at a later date, taking it up as a profession. At a recent meeting, your Committee examined closely this question of membership, but decision for our activities this winter has been deferred in view of the present annual meeting.

Certain plans have been made for the coming winter, but as everything depends on the support from Members it is first necessary for us to take stock of our position in this respect.

Officials elected for the ensuing year were as follows:—
Messrs. A. R. Brown, J. W. Clarke, A. J. Hills, S. A. Morgan, E. W. Fielding.

The following, in forthcoming lectures have been arranged to take place at the S. and S. Home:—
H. Nocht (Camera design, lenses and shutters); E. Luer (Treatment of Enlargement papers); R. Hall (Night Photography (Ilford Lantern Lecture); S. Simpson (The Chemistry of Photography); H. Nocht (Bromide enlargements); R. Hall Handwork on Bromide paper); A. E. von Kobza-Nagy (Finishing and mounting of prints); and Mr. Seidler.

FOREST FIRE IN PALESTINE

Incendiarism Alleged

Jerusalem, Oct. 28. Thousands of trees in the Bal-four Memorial Forest in Palestine were burnt by a forest fire which, it is stated, was started by incendiarism.

Reuter's Bulletin Service.

LOAN RUMOURS DENIAL

London, Oct. 28.

Rumours that British banks are prepared to grant Italy a loan for the economic development of Ethiopia are emphatically denied in city circles here.

Transocean News Service.

GOVERNOR TAKES OATHS OF OFFICE

FULL ASSEMBLY PRESENT

Hong Kong's new Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, K.C.M.G. took the oaths of office in the Council Chamber yesterday in the presence of a full assembly of members of the Legislative and Executive Councils.

The simple but impressive ceremony was watched by a large gathering among whom were:

Lady Northcote, the Rt. Rev. Bishop H. Valtorta, the Rt. Rev. Bishop R. O. Hall and Mrs. Hall, Mrs. A. W. Bartholomew, Lady Macgregor, Commodore E. B. C. Dicken and Mrs. Dicken, Air Vice-Marshal A. W. Tedder, Wing-Comdr. W. A. K. Daltell and Mrs. Daltell, Mrs. N. L. Smith, Lady Pollock, Sir William Hornell, Mr. D. J. Sloss (new Vice-Chancellor of the University), Mrs. R. E. Lindsell, Mrs. S. Caine, Miss R. Alabaster, Mrs. R. M. Henderson, Mrs. T. H. King, Mrs. J. B. Newill, Mrs. E. H. Williams, Mr. J. A. Fraser, Mr. W. J. Carrie, Mrs. B. C. K. Hawkins, Mrs. D. J. Valentine, Mrs. M. K. Lo, Mrs. J. J. Paterson,

Mrs. Li Shu-lan, Mrs. Leo D'Almeida e Castro, Jr., Mrs. E. Davidson, Mrs. R. A. C. North, Lieut.-Comdr. and Mrs. N. de G. Waymouth.

Accompanying His Excellency were the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl Macgregor, and Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell in their full legal regalia.

The notice of appointment was read by Mr. B. C. K. Hawkins, Clerk of Councils and the Governor read out the oaths as they were handed to him by the Chief Justice. When the documents had been duly signed, a salute of 17 guns was fired from the Murray Parade ground, followed by the National Anthem.

This brought the ceremony to an end.



Another picture taken on the arrival yesterday of His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote. (Photo. Cheng Studio).

SMALL BALL CHARITY SOCCER MATCH

Drawn Game At
Wanchai

A charity small ball soccer match in aid of North China war relief funds was played on the Southern Playground, Wanchai, yesterday afternoon, between a Chinese team, including several South China "stars," and a European side, comprised mainly of St. Joseph's players including David Leonard, the Interceptor.

The result was a draw of one goal each. Both goals were netted in the second half.

Lai Shui-wing, of South China "A" scored for the Chinese while Costa replied for the Europeans.

At the conclusion of the game Mr. Lam Chung-po, of the S.C.A.A. presented silver medals to the players.

The teams were:—

Chinese:—Cheung Moon-wing; Mak Shui-hon; Li Tai-ki; Lai Shui-wing (Capt.) and Lau Tin-ang; Ip Yan-po, Kwok Yui-ki, Sung Ling-sing and Hau Ching-to. Europeans:—Marques, Bowen; O. M. Omar, Costa and W. Springle; Honnball, D. Leonard, Husain (Capt.) and Castilho.

R.E. RIFLE MEET

SAPPERS IN ACTION
ON KOWLOON
RANGES

The Royal Engineers held a successful rifle meeting on the Kowloon Ranges yesterday. There was shooting to suit all tastes—Service, competitions, deliberate competitions with both S.R. (A) and P.14 rifles and a falling plate competition.

Royal Engineers from all over the Colony, including the Chief Engineer, Col. O. C. Gowingland, gathered on the ranges to shoot or watch. Many "house jobs" had kept them out of touch with rifle shooting tried their luck.

Lt. Col. L. C. Reid, M.B.E., M.C., R.E., Commanding Fortress, R.E., was president of the meeting, and Mrs. Reid kindly presented the prizes.

Maj. D. H. Steers, O.B.E., R.E., Secretary of the H.K.R.A. not only presented a lunch for all competitors, but also presented the Grand Aggregate Cup.

The winners were as follows:—

Snapp at 200:—Class "A": Tonkings. Class "B": L/Cpl. Saxby.

Deliberate at 300:—Class "A": Spr. "Rehnisen," Class "B": L/Cpl. Saxby.

Rapid at 300:—Class "A": Cpl. Tonkings.

Service Aggregate:—Class "A": Spr. "Duncan."

Deliberate at 500 S.R. (A):—Class "A": Spr. Rumery, Class "B": Spr. "Cottet."

Deliberate at 500 P.14 rifles, for Bronze medals presented by the H.K.R.A.—RSM Fleming and L/Cpl. Downing.

Grand Aggregate:—Cpl. Tonkings.

Falling Plate Competition, Winners:—The Officers, Fortress, R.E.

LADIES' HOCKEY

Shanghai Team For
To-morrow

The following will represent the Shanghai Ladies in a friendly hockey match against the Y.M.C.A. Ladies on the latter's ground at 3 p.m. to-morrow:—

Miss G. Epgrave; Miss E. A. Bloomfield and Miss F. Karanja; Miss V. Morgan; Miss Pella Pet-aura and Miss W. Klen; Miss Debbie Bloomfield, Mrs. M. Williams, Miss S. Ahmed, Miss M. Gonsalves and Miss M. Bloomfield.

HOCKEY

The following will represent the G.B.A. v. the Rajputa at hockey on Sunday, October 31 on the Marina ground at 10 a.m. (sharp) in the United Hockey Tournament:—J. J. King; H. Millington; S. MacNider; E. Fowler; G. Fowler; W. Muir; W. H. G. Hirst; T. S. D. Whitley; S. Fowler; D. T. Smith and Yeoman.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE

The following will represent the G.B.A. v. the Filipino Club at 11.30 a.m. on Sunday, October 31 on the G.B.A. ground:—G. Fowler; G. Gureylich; S. Fowler; T. S. D. Whitley; E. Fowler; J. V. King; S. MacNider; T. Gaubert; H. Millington.

HOME FOOTBALL FORECAST

The following are the English and Scottish League fixtures to be played to-morrow.

Teams in bold types are tipped to win:—

FIRST DIVISION			Last Year's Score
ARSENAL	215	v. Middlesbrough	5-3
Blackpool	80	v. Stoke	—
BOLTON	175	v. Chelsea	2-1
BRENTFORD	70	v. Portsmouth	4-0
Derby	35	v. W. Bromwich	1-0
EVERTON	30	v. Preston	2-2
Huddersfield	160	v. CHARLTON	1-2
LEICESTER	80	v. Leeds United	—
MANCHESTER C.	70	v. Birmingham	1-1
SUNDERLAND	70	v. Liverpool	4-2
WOLVERHAMPTON	115	v. Grimsby	5-2

SECOND DIVISION			Last Year's Score
ASTON VILLA	20	v. Coventry	0-0
Blackburn	40	v. BARNLEY	1-1
BRADFORD	80	v. Notts Forest	3-2
Chesterfield	180	v. TOTTENHAM	1-3
FULHAM	160	v. Manchester U.	—
NORWICH	170	v. Bury	0-0
PLYMOUTH	230	v. Sheffield United	2-0
Sheffield Wed.	30	v. Stockport	—
SOUTHAMPTON	80	v. Luton	—
SWANSEA	175	v. Burnley	3-0
WEST HAM	245	v. Newcastle	0-2

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTHERN)			Last Year's Score
Aldershot	130	v. Mansfield	—
BRISTOL C.	60	v. Bournemouth	4-1
CRYSTAL PALACE	35	v. Southend	1-1
Exeter	165	v. Northampton	2-5
GILLINGHAM	180	v. Walsall	2-2
MILLWALL	170	v. Torquay	1-1
Newport	140	v. Brighton	1-4
NOTTS COUNTY	60	v. Queen's Park Rangers	1-2
READING	35	v. Clapton Orient	1-1
SWINDON	40	v. Bristol Rovers	4-1
WATFORD	135	v. Cardiff	2-0

THIRD DIVISION (NORTHERN)			Last Year's Score
BARROW	35	v. Southport	2-1
CREWE ALEX	60	v. Bradford City	—
DARLINGTON	105	v. Tranmere Rov.	3-2
GATESHEAD	35	v. Carlisle	1-0
HARTLEPOOLS	80	v. Rochdale	4-1
Hull City	115	v. Chester	1-1
LINCOLN	80	v. Rotherham	3-0
New Brighton	40	v. Accrington	1-1
OLDHAM	20	v. Halifax	1-0
PORT VALE	80	v. York City	1-1
WREXHAM	85	v. Doncaster Rov.	—

SCOTTISH DIVISION I			Last Year's Score
ABERDEEN	v. Rangers	1-1	
AYR UNITED	v. Third Lanark	—	
Clyde	v. KILMARNOCK	2-0	
Hamilton	v. Hearts	5-1	
Hibernian	v. MOTHERWELL	1-2	
Morton	v. Arbroath	—	
Partick	v. FALKIRK	2-2	
QUEEN'S PARK	v. Queen of South	2-3	
St. Mirren	v. CELTIC	1-2	
St. Johnstone	v. Dundee	3-3	

FLYING STUDENT SUMMONED

The hearing of the summons against Lee Kim-fai, Far East Aviation Flying School pupil, charged with flying without a pilot's licence, as a result of his disappearance last month, was fixed at 2.30 p.m. on Thursday, November 4, by Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court yesterday morning.

Mr. E. H. Williams will prosecute while Mr. C. Y. Kwan will appear on Lee's behalf.

PASSPORT OFFENCE

Ivan Martonfalvy, 27, Hungarian subject, appeared on remand before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy yesterday on charges of breaches of the Passport and Registration Ordinances. He was cautioned on the first count and given two months' imprisonment concurrently on each of the other two.

UNDERGRADUATE'S SUICIDE

Depression After An
Accident

It was stated at the inquest at Westminster recently on John Alexander Hanson Freshfield, aged 19, a Cambridge undergraduate, that a champagne bottle about one-third full was found in the taxi-cab in which he shot himself. Freshfield, who lived at Glover's Farm, Reigate, was the son of Dr. E. H. Freshfield, a member of Dorking Bench.

The Deputy Coroner, Dr. Philip Barlow, recording a verdict of suicide while of unsound mind, said that Freshfield had been worried by a police charge of being under the influence of drink while in charge of a car.

He read one sentence from a letter which Freshfield had written to his mother in which he asked her not to think he was taking a coward's way out.

Mr. Edward Stuart Hunt, solicitor, of Mark-lane, E.C., said that Freshfield had suffered from depression since a motorcar accident about two years ago. As a rule drinking bouts coincided with the depression. His current account was overdrawn to about £400 coming to his account on September 20.

CONFUCIUS AS A MAN

A Chinese
Philosopher

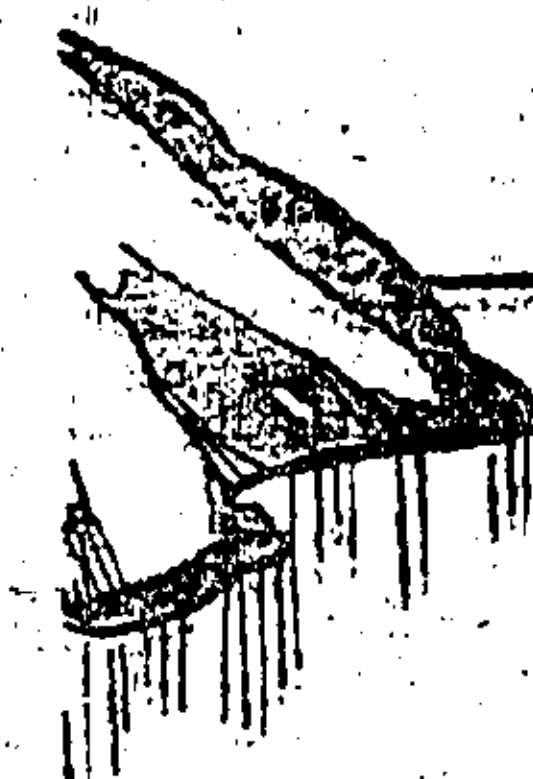
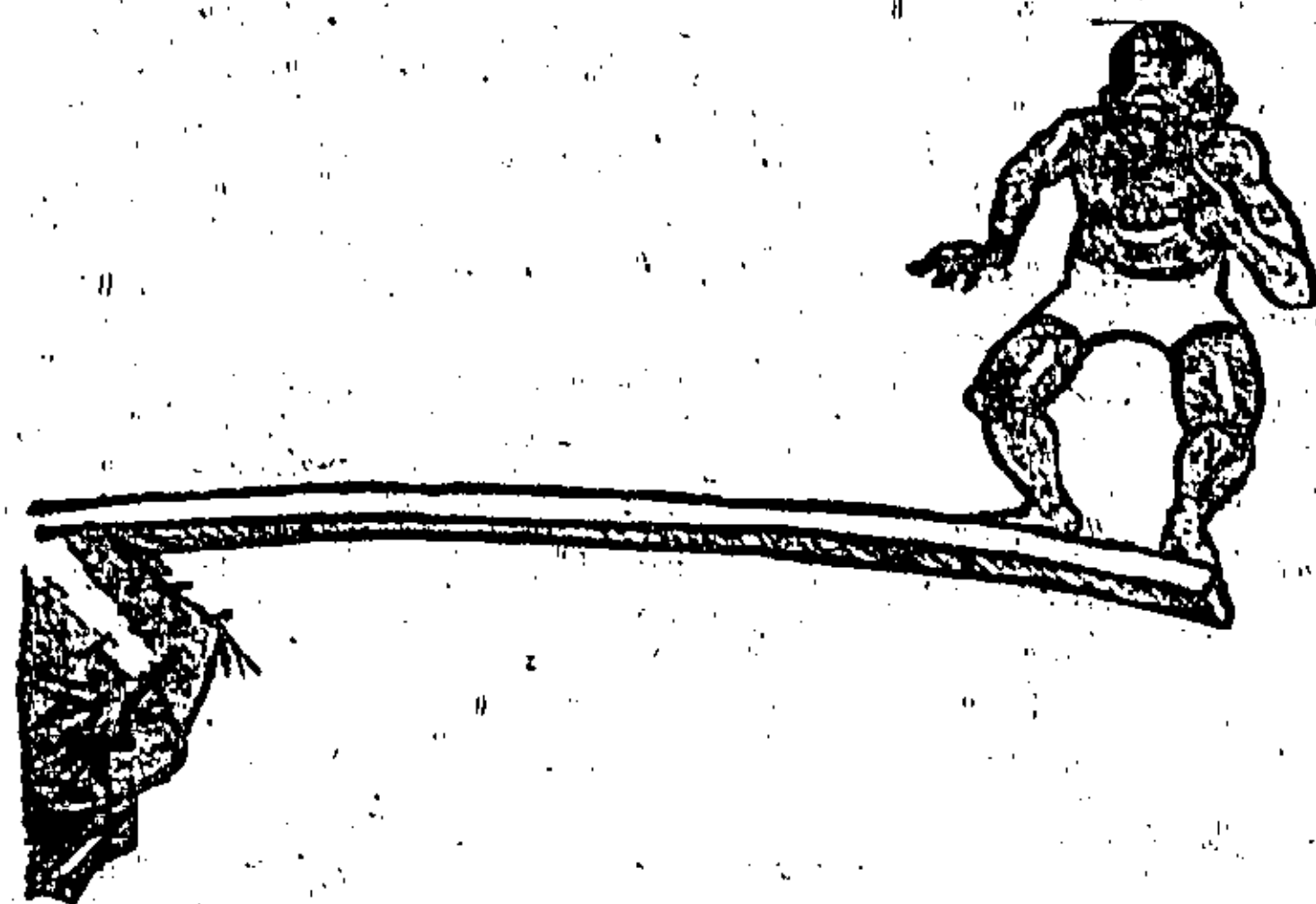
"Master Kung," The Story of Confucius. By Carl Crow. (Hamish Hamilton, 12s. 6d. net.)

In undertaking the task of presenting China's Sage as a more sympathetic figure than the "Intellectual Frankenstein monster," revered as a deity by generations of literati, Mr. Crow is, in effect, indicting the class from which China's rulers have always been drawn, for having divested the Teacher's memory of those lovable human qualities which, during his lifetime, earned for him the respect of a few enlightened rulers and the devotion of many disciples. He makes it the purpose of this breezily written biography to take him down from his marble pedestal of petrified worship and to restore him to that warm spot in the world's esteem, to which he is entitled, not only because of his wisdom, but as a "human scholar and gentleman." In so doing he makes no claim to any new discoveries concerning the main facts of the Master's chequered career. He has used no materials other than those provided by the Chinese historians and commentators, as translated in Legge's "Classics"; he has merely selected and arranged these in chronological order, so as to present a continuous picture of the Sage against the moving background of the troublous times in which he lived. Mr. Crow never obtrudes his own personality upon his picture, but from internal evidence one may surmise that he has derived a good deal of quiet enjoyment from his task, and from the Master's social dilemmas.

It is not easy, at first sight, to reconcile certain aspects of the life of Confucius with the deep reverence accorded to his memory by countless generations of earth's oldest civilisation. Compelled to earn a living, he obtained his first official employment at the age of seventeen as title collector to his feudal chieftain, in which position he gained much valuable knowledge of affairs. His experience during this formative period brought him into direct personal contact with the peasantry, gave him sympathy and insight, and "strengthened his half-formed resolution to achieve their happiness," by restoring the benevolent despotism of the Golden Age—government of the Good, by the Good, for the Good. He died, fifty-seven years later, a self-confessed failure, ignored by contemporary opinion in high places, and generally regarded as an impractical politician. Many incidents in his career, and many of his sayings and doings, appear to be scarcely consistent with the Orthodox Confucianist conception of the Superior Man. The explanation would appear to lie in the fact that the basis of the Confucian philosophy, and of the influence which the Sage came to exercise on the minds of the literati, was laid, after his death, by his devoted disciples who, in the "Analects," compiled from memory an account of the long Odyssey of his scholastic pilgrimages from one dual Court to another in search of official employment, together with a record of his teachings. Succeeding generations of scholars and schoolmen discovered in these teachings not only proof of his greatness as a philosopher, but a new vision of the path of True Wisdom, by walking in which the "fathers and mothers of the people" might regain the Earthly Paradise, and restore the ancient virtues which flourished in the days of Yao and Shun.

Both the character and the career of Confucius, as here presented, bear remarkable resemblances at many points to those recorded of Plato in far-off Attica, 200 years later. Both regarded politics (to use Dean Inge's words) as "the science of the whole duty of Man" and the Good State as the Virtuous (or Superior) Man writ large. Both believed in government by experts, an aristocracy of intelligence; both assigned a curiously high place to music in national education. Both attracted and instructed a large following of disciples. Both lived in the midst of alarms and, while devoting their time to the teaching of philosophy, sought opportunities of applying their wisdom to the business of government. Each had at least one such opportunity, and both ended in failure. In each case the materials for biographical record are largely matters of oral tradition, but if the "Analects"

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DID NOT PAY FARE ON FERRY

Lai Po, 18, apprentice, was fined \$25 by Mr. Edwards at the Central Magistracy yesterday for travelling on the Hong Kong and Yau-mat Ferry, Man Yeung, on Wednesday, without paying his fare. He is to be given 24 hours in which to raise the fine.

give a truthful picture of the Sage in his hours of adversity, it must be confessed that he cuts a much less dignified figure in retirement than Plato did after his painful experiences at Syracuse. The fact that the Chinese Sage expressed his dejection and disillusion by means of classic odes may have made amends to his followers for his lack of philosophic calm. Be this as it may, one cannot imagine Plato ever saying that his misfortunes made him like "a stray dog in a house of mourning," or justifying a flagrant breach of faith on the ground that "the spirits do not hear forced oaths." But the two illustrious Teachers have this, at all events, in common, that each gave to the

QUEEN MARY IN YORKSHIRE

Queen Mary concluded her visit to Lord and Lady Spencer at Althorp recently and travelled from Northamptonshire to Yorkshire for her annual visit to the Princess Royal and Lord Harewood at Harwood House, near Leeds.

Flowers and plants decorated Harrogate station, where Queen Mary left the train to finish her journey by car. She was met by Lord Harewood and was cheered by large crowds outside the station and along the route to Harwood House.

Queen Mary, accompanied by the Princess Royal and Lord Harewood, visited Gfaintley Hall, near Ripon, the home of Sir William H. Aykroyd. In the afternoon she called at an antique shop in Ripon where previously she had made purchases.

SELLING OBSCENE PICTURES

Trying to sell pictures of an indecent and obscene nature to a Chinese detective at Queen's Road Central near the China Emporium on Wednesday night brought about the appearance of Pun Pang, 41, unemployed, before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Magistracy yesterday, when he was fined \$10 or two weeks' hard labour. The pictures were confiscated. Detective-Sergeant Souter prosecuted.

BISHOP AND THE THRONE

The Bishop of Durham (Dr. Benson), at St. John's Church, Durham, recently, said the British Monarchy stood erect amid the ruins of Continental Empires because "it alone was in the form which made it harmonious with civil liberty. Neither the terrific crisis of the Great War nor the sudden shock of the domestic crisis last December could shake the Throne."

civilisation of his world an ideal of the Perfect State, the City of his Dreams, based on political principles, which, even though they be unattainable, exist for ever.



BRINGING ENGLAND NEARER STILL

Comfortable air liners leave Hong Kong every Friday for Penang, where connexion is made with the main Australian-London service. As more and more of the new double-decked 4-engined Empire flying-boats come into commission, still faster and still more comfortable journeys will become possible between China and England.

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LOCAL RACING

Entries For November Meeting

The following are the entries for the Tenth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, November 6, 1937 at Happy Valley:—
1.—Nullah Nullah Handicap.—Winner \$500. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Subscription Ponies, "B" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One and a Quarter Miles.
A Great Time, Australian Boy, Bag Tor, Bobnik Star, Dick Turpin, Llanarmon, Perfect Day, Racing Heart, Saucy Face, Snowy River, Strathcarrick, Vixen Tor.
2.—Sub-Griffins St. Leger.—Winner \$1,000. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season. Weight: 146 lb. Winners of one race, 5 lb., of two or more races, 10 lb. penalty. Entrance \$10.
Atomic Star, 151; Coronation Day, 156; Cordito, 156; Lancashire Tich, 151; National Anthem, 156; Shipmaster, 156; Tabby Cat, 153; Tempest, 151; Whalsey, 156.
3. or 8.—Norfolk Handicap.—First or Second Section.—Winner \$450. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 151 Yards).
Arax, Atomic Star, Copper Foot, Daylight Eve, Diogenes, Gold Coin, Gold Sovereign, Good Morning, Happy Venture, King's Parade, Laughing Cavalier, Laughing Girl, National Anthem, National Spirit, Pagan Love, Plain View, Racing Boy, Seventeenth of Sept., Stop-watch, Sylvandale, Tabby Cat, Tiny Star, Valorous, Voltaire, Ythan, Yum Sing, Zero.
4.—Surrey Handicap.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, "A" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 151 Yards).
Bear Claw, Cossack's Beauty, Diana Bay, Gladiator, Happy Eve, King's Warden, Soldier of Britain, Wild Life.
5.—Sussex Handicap.—Winner \$550. Second \$275. Third \$175. For China Ponies, "B" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. From the 1½ Mile Post (About Five Furlongs).
Dawn Star, Harvest View, Hayce Eve, Honeymoon Eve, King's Coronation, King's Justice, New Star, Potentate, Red Feather, Rose-Queen, Tyne.
6.—Fremantle St. Leger.—Winner \$1,000. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Subscription Ponies of this Season. Weight: 146 lb. Winners of one race, 5 lb., of two or more races, 10 lb. penalty. Entrance \$10. One and Three Quarter Miles.
Courtling Eve, 151; Dick Turpin, 156; Gypsy Love, 156; Home Brew, 151; Lancashire Chips, 156; Strathcarrick, 146.
7.—Kent Handicap.—Winner \$500. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, "C" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. From the 1½ Mile Post (About Five Furlongs).
Amberley, Boolat Bay, Commencement Bay, King's Bounty, Kum Shan, Laughing Buddha, Rose Evelyn, Scenic View, Soldier of China, Vira.

Football Association Meeting

A meeting of the Council of the Hong Kong Football Association will be held at the offices of the Association, Room No. 205, Gloucester Building, on Monday, November 1 at 5.30 p.m. to discuss the proposed Interport, the draw for the Senior and Junior Shields and other business.

GERMAN-DUTCH RELATIONS

The Hague, Oct. 27. The German-Dutch negotiations, which were begun some time ago, with the view of regulating anew the clearing transactions between the two countries in 1938, are proceeding in the direction recommended by the German press, namely to replace the German-Dutch Clearing Agreement by the system of currency transactions now existing between Germany and England.

It is stated that although agreement in principle has been attained, the discussions will be drawn out to considerable length, since the adjustment of details, to the satisfaction of both parties, is by no means a simple matter.

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Sporting Fixtures

TO-DAY

Bridge.—Cheero Club Duplicate and Contract Bridge, 8 p.m.

TO-MORROW

Cricket.—First division, Hong Kong v. Indians (F); Craigengower v. Kowloon (F); Recrelo v. Navy (F). Second division, Indians v. Hong Kong (L); Kowloon v. Recrelo (L); Police v. Craigengower (L); Navy v. Civil Service (L).

Football.—First Division: Kowloon v. Middlesex (Kowloon), 4.30 p.m. Referee, Finch. Linesmen, Phillips and Stone; South China "B" v. St. Joseph's (Caroline Hill), 4.30 p.m. Referee, Stedman. Linesmen, Johns and Farr.

Seafarths v. Kowloon Chinese (Club), 4.30 p.m. Referee, McCormack. Linesmen, Barretto and Morecroft; Eastern v. Club (Causeway Bay), 4.30 p.m. Referee, Martin. Linesmen, Andrews and Edwards.

Second Division:

Chinese Engineers v. Seafarths (Caroline Hill), 3 p.m. Referee, Aldridge; Kowloon v. Police (Kowloon), 3 p.m. Referee, Clarke;

5th Bde. R.A. v. Club (Causeway Bay), 3 p.m. Referee, Day; Kwong Wan v. South China (King's Park), 4.30 p.m. Referee, Rees;

Middlesex v. Engineers (King's Park), 3 p.m.

Third Division (Hong Kong):

5th Bde. R.A. v. Police (Military, Happy Valley), 4.30 p.m. Referee, Dredge;

Service Corps v. Powhattan (Military ground), 3 p.m. Referee, Marriott;

Third Division (Kowloon):

24th Bty. R.A. v. University (Chatham Road), 4.30 p.m. Referee, Dove;

Seafarths v. Portuguese S.A. (Chatham Road), 3 p.m. Referee, Sutterley;

20th Bty. R.A. v. Air Force (Prince Edward Road), 4.30 p.m. Referee, Hobson;

Royal Signals v. Kumsons (Prince Edward Road), 3 p.m. Referee, Hubson.

Hockey.—Shanghai Ladies v. "Y" Ladies ("Y" ground, King's Park), 4.30 p.m.

Riding.—Engineers Cavalcade (Equine Sports Club), 4.30 p.m. Yachting.—3rd Commodore's Cup Series.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31

Football.—First Division:

Police v. South China "A" (Club), 4.30 p.m. Referee, Slidbottom. Linesmen, Demme and Brothwell;

Third Division (Hong Kong):

Engineers v. Medicals (Sookun-poo), 3 p.m. Referee, Purnell;

Stanley v. Ordnance (Sookun-poo), 4.30 p.m. Referee, Dralsey.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6

Racing.—Hong Kong Jockey Club's Tenth Extra Race Meeting, Happy Valley, 2 p.m.

FLYING MARQUESS TO WED

Engagement To Lady Elizabeth Percy

The engagement is announced between the Marquess of Douglas and Clydesdale and Lady Elizabeth Percy. Boxer, aviator and politician, Lord Clydesdale is the eldest son and heir of the Duke of Hamilton. At Oxford he distinguished himself at boxing, gaining his "blue." In 1926 he fought an exhibition bout in Calcutta in aid of charity and has held the amateur middle-weight title of Scotland.

In 1930, at the age of 27, he was elected Conservative M.P. for East Renfrew.

He was early interested in flying, and qualifying as a pilot became a squadron leader in the City of Glasgow Amateur Air Force. The scientific aspects of flight however, became a close study with him and when through the generosity of the late Lady Houston an expedition to survey the summit of Mount Everest from the air was organized he was appointed its chief pilot.

The experiences on the flight made over the great mountain are contained in his book, "The Pilot's Book of Everest."

PATRIOTIC CHINESE ABROAD

Berlin, Oct. 28.

A meeting of delegates from Chinese communities in Europe has decided to form a "League of Chinese Abroad for the Defence of the Nation." The new League will be imbued with the political views of Chiang Kai-shek.

Reuter.

"DAILY MAIL" SUGGESTS ARMISTICE

London, Oct. 28.

The "Daily Mail" in a leader on the Japanese advance in Shanghai, says that Japan, with the prestige of this victory and China, after her magnificently sustained resistance, could both accept armistice without disgrace.

Unhappily, it does not appear likely that either side will be willing to break off the struggle yet. The "Daily Mail" adds that everybody hopes that before the winter sets in, mediation by outside Powers may bring the two sides to an accommodation.

While the conflict continues there is always the risk of Russia taking more than her covert share in the hostilities and calamitously widening the war. The Nine Power

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LONE STAR Mining Co., Inc., stated recently that the gold bullion bars reportedly stolen in Pangasinan were not the property of the company but of Bonifacio Pangiao. Pangiao has an arrangement with the Lone Star whereby the gold washed by the natives on some of its claims is brought to the company for refining and melting, turned over to the company for shipment to the San Francisco mint. The gold in question which was stolen had not been taken to the Lone Star Mining Company for melting at the time it was lost, hence the company has not suffered any loss, the letter stated.

DULONG MINING Company has reported that development work is now in progress on its geyser property in Mahabangbatang. Necessary equipment and other tools for the work now being shipped to the place to speed up the work. Jacinto C. secretary-treasurer of the company, who arrived recently with some members of the board of directors on an inspection trip to the property, reported encouraging results on the work.

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 pany's Godowns at Kowloon, where each
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Optional Goods will be landed here
 unless instructions have been given to the
 contrary Six Hours before arrival of the
 Steamer.

Goods not cleared within 8 days
 including date of arrival will be subject to
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 Damaged Packages must be left in the
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 Messrs. GODDARD & DOUGLAS, at 10 a.m.,
 on Mondays and Thursdays, within the
 Free Storage period.

Consignees are specially notified that
 it is necessary for a Revenue Officer to
 be present at the examination of
 damaged dutiable cargo.

All Claims against the Steamer must
 be presented to the Underwriter on or
 before 17th Nov., 1937, or they will
 not be recognized.

No Claims will be admitted after the
 Goods have left the Godown.

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Hong Kong, 28th Oct., 1937. [5699]

NETHERLANDS
FAIR

A Great Success

The 37th Royal Netherlands In-
 dustries Fair, of which the second
 Netherlands Agrarian Fair formed
 part, was held at Utrecht from
 September 7 to 16, 1937. The
 number of participants was 1207,
 as against 1146 in 1936. Floor-
 space rented increased from 155-
 000 sq. feet to well over 170,000
 sq. feet.

The general trend in business
 was very satisfactory, notwith-
 standing the fact that the period
 in which the Fair was held, was
 marked by serious signs of threat-
 ening international difficulties
 both of a political and economic
 nature.

The increase in the number of
 visitors (22 per cent. as compared
 with the last fair-fair) as well as
 the turn-over formed proof of an
 economic revival in the Nether-
 lands. The consumptive branches
 of industry did good business and
 this shows that there is an upward
 tendency of purchasing power in
 general.

NOT EXPERIMENTAL

The Agrarian Fair was no longer
 of an experimental character, but
 showed great improvement both
 as regards participation and gen-
 eral lay-out. Great interest was
 manifested by agrarian circles and
 the fact that horses, cattle and
 poultry were on display, formed a
 special attraction. Inland timber
 was also a feature, which drew a
 large attendance.

As a whole, the 37th Royal
 Netherlands Industries Fair was a
 great success. The Fair's Manag-
 ing Board of Directors has decid-
 ed to extend the available floor-
 space by building a large Hall for
 machinery, which may be finished
 before the coming spring-fair.

PARTICIPANTS

Participation spread over the
 different nationalities was as fol-
 lows:

The Netherlands, 843; United
 States of America, 23; Belgium,
 41; British India, 30; Denmark, 4;
 Germany, 123; Great Britain, 50;
 France, 13; Italy, 3; Luxembourg,
 1; Norway, 2; Austria, 63; Tsj-
 echo-Slovakia, 8; Sweden, 2; Swit-
 zerland, 1; total 1207.

The 38th Royal Netherlands In-
 dustries Fair will be held at
 Utrecht from 15th to 24th March
 1938.

REICHSMARK
QUOTATIONS

Berlin, Oct. 27.
 The Reichsmark was quoted,
 without guarantee, at:

New York 40.18
 Paris 1294.00
 Amsterdam 72.655
 London 123.375
 Paris Sterling 148.70 to 148.75
 Paris U.S. dollars 30.06 to 30.075.
Transocean News Service.

GOLDEN GATE INTERNATIONAL
EXPOSITION

San Francisco, California.—Na-
 tions the world over are watching
 closely the development of the
 new Pacific Empire, and interna-
 tional economists are unanimous
 in their opinion that the great
 markets and tourist centres of the
 future lie in the Pacific.

San Francisco, great Pacific
 port and always a leader in West-
 ern achievement, cognizant of a
 new era in the West, is celebrat-
 ing the march of progress on the
 Pacific with an elaborate pageant
 which will be known as the 1939
 Golden Gate International Expon-
 sition, the site for which will be a
 mile-square man-made island in
 the centre of San Francisco Bay.

This city, proud of the outstand-
 ing achievements of the great
 West, is even more proud of its
 own personal achievement in the
 completion of two huge bridges
 which span the Golden Gate and
 the bay, respectively. Both are
 the largest structures of their
 kind in the world and are corner-
 stones of Pacific progress.

Foreign participation will bring
 the exhibits of innumerable coun-
 tries to San Francisco in 1939.
 World seaport and cosmopolitan
 city, famed around the world for
 its hospitality to the citizens of
 all nations, San Francisco plans
 to welcome the governments, par-
 ticipating in the same spirit
 which marked their share in the
 celebration of 1915, when more
 than forty nations took part in
 the celebration of the opening of
 the Panama Canal.

San Francisco, as the gateway
 to the Pacific, gains new stature
 through the successful operations

WALL STREET
CHANGESRevision Of Margin
Seen As Fillip
To Market

Washington, Oct. 28.

A drastic revision of the stock
 market margin requirements is be-
 coming effective as from November
 1, it is announced by the Federal
 Reserve Board.

The margin for the purchase of
 securities is being reduced from
 55 per cent to 40 per cent. On
 short sales, a margin of 50 per
 cent is being imposed.

Officials of the Federal Reserve
 Board refuse to comment on the
 revision, but other quarters be-
 lieve that it would tend to drive
 up stock market prices, since both
 changes are calculated to en-
 courage the purchase rather than
 the sale of securities. It is un-
 derstood that the Board conferred
 with the Stock Exchange Com-
 mittee before announcing the change.

Margin requirement on short
 sales is an innovation in Federal
 Reserve Board regulations. Hith-
 erto, in the absence of Government
 regulations the New York Stock
 Exchange has required short sell-
 ers to put up a margin of 10 per
 cent.
Reuter.

DR. SCHACHT'S
RESIGNATION

Berlin, Oct. 27.

The announcement made that
 the resignation of Dr. Schacht,
 President of the Reichsbank, from
 the Ministry of Economics of
 which he was the nominal head
 for the last eighteen months has
 been postponed is apparently due
 to the reorganization of the Minis-
 try not having yet been com-
 pleted.
Reuter.

SHARP FRENCH
WARNING

Paris, Oct. 27.

Steps have been taken by the
 French Government both with the
 Valencia and the Franco Govern-
 ment to protest against the double
 attack on French warships. It is
 declared in Quai d'Orsay circles
 here to-day. Both Governments
 are warned that should such at-
 tacks continue, the French Gov-
 ernment would see itself compelled
 to take adequate steps to secure
 her shipping routes to North
 Africa.

The investigation begun by the
 French authorities to ascertain the
 identity of the seaplane, which at-
 tacked the vessel "Chasseur 91" in
 the harbour of Formella, is still
 going on, and no definite results
 have as yet been achieved.
Transocean News Service.

SOVIET PURGE
CONTINUESProminent Bolshevik
Now Denounced

Moscow, Oct. 28.

The last vestiges of Trotskyist
 wrecking are claimed to have been
 cleaned up at Birobidzhan, the
 first Jewish autonomous district in
 Soviet Russia, which has been
 hailed as a rival to Palestine in
 the creation of a Jewish homeland.
 Khavkin, secretary of the Com-
 munist Party for the district, to-
 gether with several other officials,
 have been denounced and removed
 from office.

According to newspaper reports,
 Trotskyists seized the control
 offices at Birobidzhan and Sabo-
 tagged the construction settlement
 for Jewish farmers.

It is alleged that Khavkin was
 working under the orders of
 Varelkhis, prominent old Bolshevik
 who was recently sent to the Far
 East by the Kremlin to purge
 Trotskyists, but who himself has
 now been denounced as a Men-
 shevik.
Reuter.

STRATEGIC MOVE

Shanghai, Oct. 27.

The Chinese retreat from Kiang-
 wan and Chapei to-day was char-
 acterised by a Chinese spokesman
 as a strategic measure of the
 Chinese commander. The spokes-
 man added that the retreat was
 carried on in perfect order. The
 Chinese troops took up new pos-
 itions south of the Nanking-Shan-
 ghai railway and north of the So-
 chow Creek.

The Chinese front line now runs
 as follows: Liochow, Tungchiao,
 east of Kating, Yepangcho, north-
 east of Nanzhang, Kentshaochen,
 south of the Nanking-Shanghai
 railway, Chenju and Chungshan
 Road, outside the western border
 of the Settlement.

The battalion of volunteers in
 Chapei is holding its own near
 Thibet Road bridge. It is com-
 pletely surrounded, and has decid-
 ed not to surrender. According to
 reports received at the Chinese
 Headquarters, the battalion has
 food supply for seven days.
Transocean News Service.

A WORTHY EULOGIUM

London, Oct. 28.

The Japanese will presumably
 strain every nerve to turn this
 local (and deliberate) retreat into
 a general rout, declares the
 "Times" in a leading article on the
 latest phase of the fighting in the
 Shanghai sector.

Territorial gains are of little mo-
 ment to them provided they can
 further their prime and only ob-
 jective—the destruction of the
 Chinese armies as an effective
 fighting force. Thus far they have
 made little headway towards this
 objective. They have, indeed, kil-
 led two or three hundred thousand
 Chinese soldiers, among them
 many of the best under-Nanking's
 command, but their ten "bloody
 weeks" at Shanghai (even if the
 struggle there is not further pro-
 longed, which seems an unlikely
 contingency) may one day prove
 to have laid the foundations to a
 military strength such as China
 never possessed before.

For the first time in modern his-
 tory, the Chinese soldier has
 emerged from the mists of fac-
 tious legend. He is still for the
 most part under-trained and
 under-armed and still—because he
 cannot afford a waterproof coat—
 carries an umbrella, but he has
 held for ten weeks the ground
 which he was expected to lose. In
 one, and he has only given way
 under a bombardment which might
 have dislodged any modern
 infantry under similar conditions.
 Not only to-day, but also in the
 future, the resistance in Shanghai
 will have its moral effect all over
 China.
Reuter.

THE BRITISH
DELEGATION

London, Oct. 27.

The British Delegation to the
 Brussels Conference was announced
 in the House of Commons as
 follows:—The Foreign Secretary,
 the Dominions Secretary and Sir
 Alexander Cadogan of the Foreign
 Office.—*British Wireless.*

Lloyd's Huge Donation

To Lord Mayor's Fund

London, Oct. 28.

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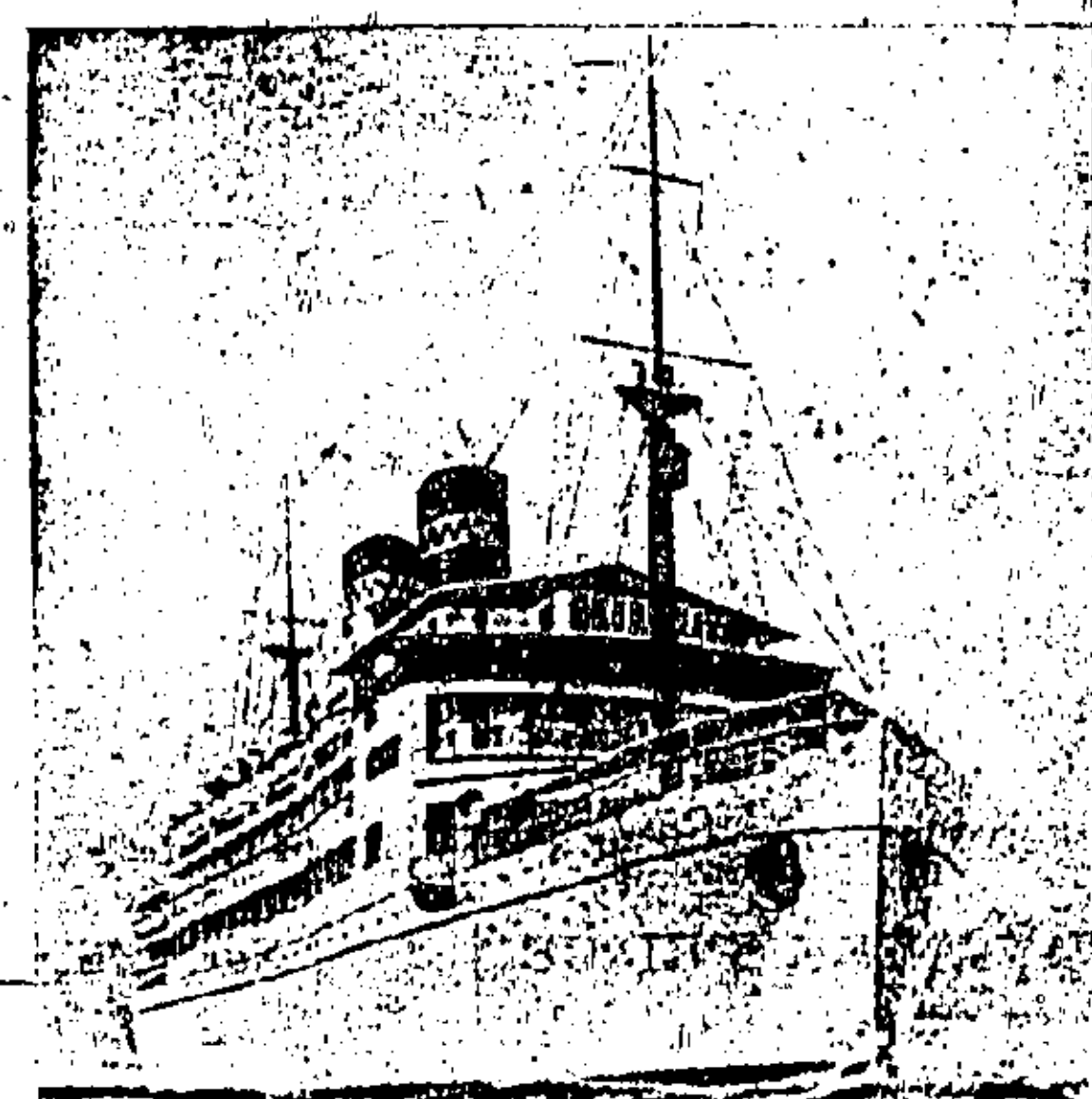
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Hong Kong, 30th Oct., 1937.

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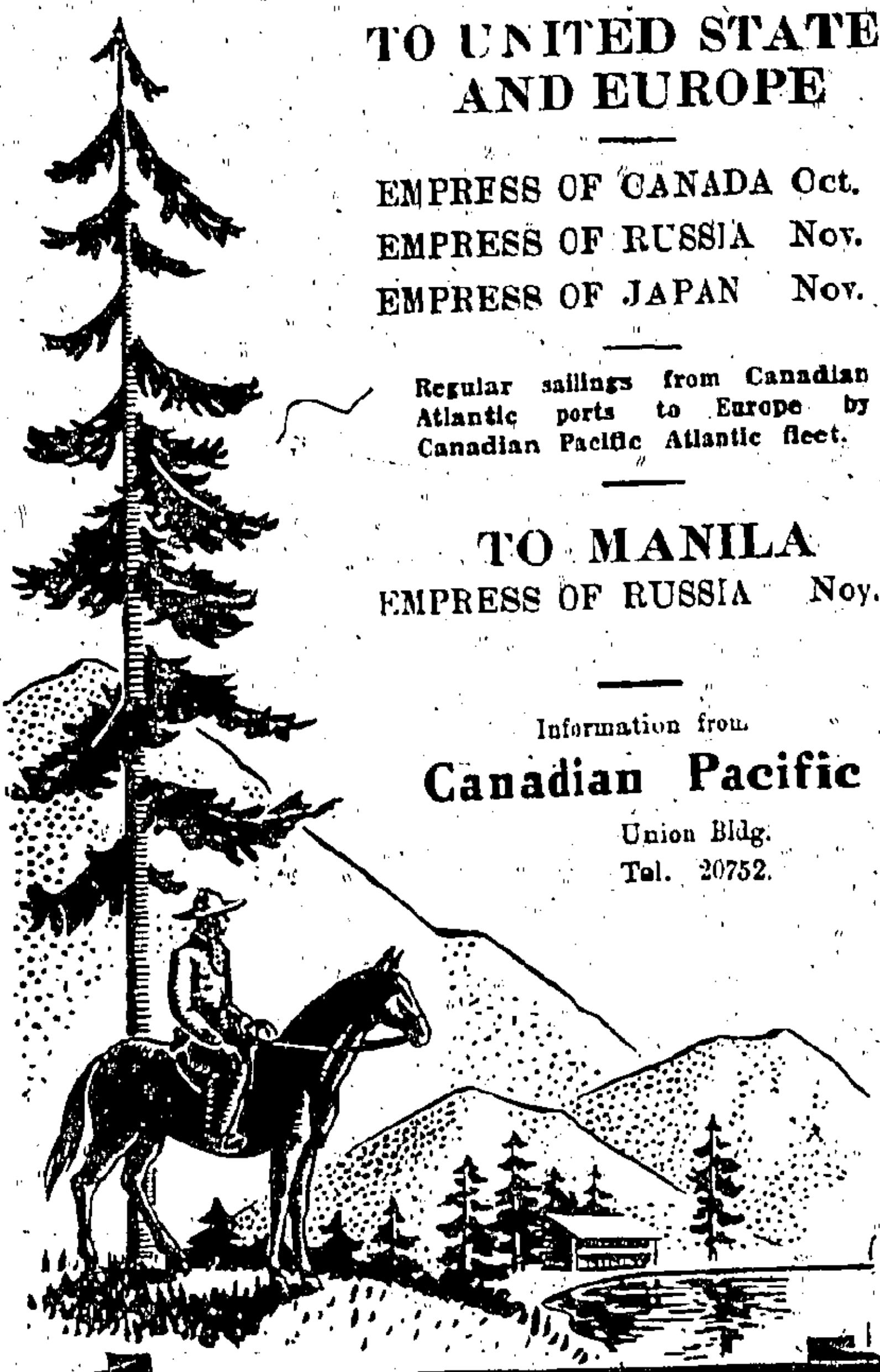
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TATSUTA MARU ... Tuesday, 30th Nov.

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HIYE MARU ... Saturday, 6th Nov.

NEW YORK via Panama.

NAGARA MARU ... Saturday, 30th Oct.

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu,

Hilo, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.

TAKAOKA MARU (Starts from Kobe) Saturday, 30th Nov.

LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, R'DAM.

TERUKUNI MARU ... Friday, 6th Nov.
HAKUSAN MARU ... Saturday, 20th Nov.

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus.

and Marseilles.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila and Port.

* "NEPTUNA" ... Wednesday, 3rd Nov.
KAMO MARU ... Saturday, 27th Nov.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.

* TOYOOKA MARU ... Thursday, 28th Oct.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.

* MAYERASHI MARU ... Thursday, 4th Nov.

KOBE AND YOKOHAMA (Omitting Shanghai)

KATORI MARU ... Saturday, 9th Nov.
ANYO MARU ... Sunday, 17th Nov.
ATSUTA MARU ... Friday, 19th Nov.
KASHIMA MARU ... Saturday, 20th Nov.

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SHIPPING DIRECTORY

Agamemnon (B. & S.), British str.,
Captain J. G. Reynard, 4,882 tons,
arrived on October 27 from Manila.
Berthing at Holt's Wharf.

Anshan (Butterfield & Swire), British
str., Captain C. Miller, 1,880 tons,
arrived on October 21 from Singapore.
Lying at West Point.

Henry (W. R. Loxley & Co.), British
steamer, Captain W. A. 3,750 tons,
arrived on October 25 from Manila.
Berthing at Kowloon Wharf.

Blackheath (Thorsen & Co.), British
str., Capt. Reid, 3,762 tons, arrived Sept.
9 from Portland, at North Point.

Burgeland (Jensen & Co.), German
steamer, Capt. Schladauch, 4,321 tons,
arrived on October 25 from Manila.
Lying at Kowloon Bay.

Carthage (P. & O. S.N. Co.), British
steamer, Captain H. M. 7,687 tons,
arrived on October 27 from Kobe.
Mooring at buoy No. A2.

Chekiang (B. & S.), British str., Capt.
A. Taylor, 1,313 tons, arrived on
Oct. 10 from Sama Baya and Hoihow.
Lying at Stonecutters.

City of Lyons (Bank Line), British
steamer, Captain E. Mason, 4,411 tons,
arrived on October 12 from Manila.
Mooring at buoy No. A11.

Costa Verde (Lord Triestino), Italian
steamer, Captain Microni, 11,637 tons,
will leave here for Shanghai on Oct. 31
at midnight.

Emmy (J. M. & Co.), Greek steamer,
Captain J. Michailakos, 2,474 tons,
mooring at buoy No. A10.

Empress of Asia (C. P. S.), British
steamer, Captain G. Good, 8,883 tons,
left Yokohama on Oct. 23 at 3 p.m.,
is due at Vancouver on Nov. 1.

Empress of Canada (C. P. S.), British
steamer, Capt. W. T. 12,811 tons,
arrived Oct. 27 from Manila, at Kowloon
Wharf. She will leave here for Victoria,
and Vancouver, B.C., via Kobe, Yokohama
and Honolulu at 6 p.m. on Oct. 29
(Friday).

Empress of Japan (C. P. S.), British
str., Capt. L. D. Douglas, 14,725 tons,
arrived at Vancouver Oct. 19 at 2 1/2
p.m. and leaves Vancouver Oct. 30 at
a.m. She is due at Hong Kong Nov.
19 (Friday) at a.m. and leaves for
Manila on the same day at p.m.

Empress of Russia (C. P. S.), British
steamer, Captain T. F. Patrick, 8,780
tons, left Yokohama on Oct. 28 at 3
p.m. She is due at Hong Kong on
Nov. 3 (Wednesday) at 5 p.m. and
leaves for Manila on Nov. 4 at 5 p.m.

Erirken (Wallen & Co.), Norwegian
steamer, Captain O. 4,194 tons,
lying at Taitoo Dock.

Fong Lee (Yee Tai Hong), Chinese
str., Captain Y. K. 1,250 tons,
mooring at buoy No. B5.

Founder (East Asiatic Co.), Italian
steamer, Captain C. Basili, 2,34 tons,
arrived on October 23 from Shanghai.
Lying at Stonecutters.

Garbata (M. M. & Co.), British
steamer, Captain D. S. Johnston, 3,204
tons, at buoy No. A2.

Greta Maersk (Jensen & Co.), Danish
steamer, Captain Andersen, 4,025 tons,
arrived on October 27 from Kobe.
Berthing at Kowloon Wharf.

Gustav Diederichsen (Huang Pheng
Mei Hong), Danish steamer, Capt. R.
Nielsen, 1,353 tons, at buoy B5.

Hai Heng (C. M. S. N. & Co.), Chinese
steamer, Captain C. C. Ma, 2,085
tons, at buoy No. B5.

Hai Li (C. M. S. N. & Co.), Chinese
steamer, Capt. S. P. Teng, 2,655 tons,
berthing at C. M. S. N. & Co's Wharf.

Hai Shang (Dodwell & Co.), Chinese
steamer, Captain P. Book, 2,074 tons,
lying at Stonecutters.

Hai Yu (Dodwell & Co.), Chinese
steamer, Captain V. Andersen, 1,988
tons, at Stonecutters.

Hai Yuan (C.M.S.N. & Co.), Chinese
str., Captain N. S. Johansson, 2,078
tons, at C.M.S.N.'s Wharf.

Haughton Hall (Bank Line), British
steamer, Captain White, 2,688 tons,
arrived on October 20 from Honolulu.
Berthing at Standard Wharf.

Haven (Wallen & Co.), Chinese
steamer, Capt. S. Paulsen, 1,790 tons,
lying at Yau-mat.

Helios (Thorsen & Co.), Norwegian
steamer, Captain W. Hanner, 1,113
tons, arrived Oct. 25 from Bangkok via
Swatow. Cleared Oct. 28 for Swatow.

Heng Shan (Wallen & Co.), Panamanian
str., Captain Ustlad, 1,146 tons,
lying at Yau-mat.

Hong Kheng (Ho Thong & Co.), British
str., Capt. J. Bonnemant, 3,575
tons, arrived October 14 from Swatow.
Singapore, at buoy No. A5.

Hong Kong Maru (O.S.N.), Japanese
steamer, Captain S. 1,350 tons,
arrived on October 25 from Takao.
Cleared Oct. 28 for Keelung.

Hong Peng (Ho Thong & Co.), British
steamer, Captain O. Thomas, 2,525 tons,
at buoy No. A12.

Hong Siang (Ho Thong & Co.), British
str., Captain D. Cole, 2,140
tons, arrived October 28 from Swatow.
Mooring at buoy No. A5.

Hsia Lee (Yee Tai Hong), Chinese
steamer, Captain T. Murakami, 704
tons, at Kowloon Bay.

Hsia Ping (Gibb, Livingston & Co.),
Chinese str., Capt. C. C. Chiang, 1,143
tons, at Stonecutters.

Hwah Chong (Gibb, Livingston & Co.),
Chinese str., Captain M. Pishun,
1,445 tons, at Yau-mat.

Kalgan (Butterfield & Swire), British
steamer, Captain D. D. Richards, 1,555
tons, arrived Oct. 21 from Bangkok.
Cleared Oct. 28 for Swatow.

Langchow (Butterfield & Swire), British
steamer, Capt. O. Fox, 1,223 tons,
arrived on October 20 from Bangkok.
Mooring at buoy No. B5.

Lima Maru (N. Y. K.), Japanese
steamer, Captain H. Agawa, 1,225 tons,
lying at H.K. & Whampoa Dock.

La Hing (Gibb, Livingston & Co.),
Chinese steamer, Captain P. L. Kwan,
2,448 tons, at Stonecutters.

Lye-moon (W. R. Loxley & Co.), British
steamer, Capt. E. Holmes, 1,734 tons,
arrived October 27 from Saigon, rice.
Mooring at buoy No. B2.

Marama (M. M. & Co.), British
steamer, Capt. F. F. Miley, 3,992 tons,
lying at Kowloon Bay.

Montheus (Butterfield & Swire), British
steamer, is expected to arrive here
from Kobe on October 31 at daylight.

Michael Jensen (China Steamship),
Danish str., Captain S. Eiberg, 1,343
tons, arrived Oct. 31 from Bandou.
Mooring at buoy No. C1.

Nanning (Butterfield & Swire), British
str., Capt. E. W. Richards, 1,488 tons,
arrived on October 21 from Haiphong.
Mooring at buoy No. B2.

Nellora (E. & S.S. Co.), British
str., Capt. J. Scott-White, 4,322 tons,
arrived on October 28 from Moji.
Lying at H.K. & Whampoa Dock.

Onasi Socratis (M. B. N.), Greek
steamer, Captain L. Bistis, 3,330 tons,
arrived on October 25 from Milke.
Mooring at buoy No. A11.

Petronella (A. P. C.), Dutch steamer,
Captain R. J. ter Meulen, 1,321 tons,
arrived October 28 from Balikpapan.
Lying at Tai Kok Tui.

Pres. Grant (A. M. Line), American
steamer, Captain B. B. Clark, 8,405
tons, arrived on October 28 from Kobe.
Berthing at Kowloon Wharf.

Prints (C.M.S.N. & Co.), Norwegian
steamer, Captain B. Moller, 1,233 tons,
arrived on October 20 from Swatow.
Mooring at buoy No. B17.

Ranchi (P. & O. S.N. Co.), British
str., Captain J. Smith, 8,849 tons,
arrived October 28 from London via
Singapore, general cargo, lying at
Kowloon Wharf.

Rheinland (Jensen & Co.), German
steamer, Captain Rholls, 4,921 tons,
arrived on October 29 from Yokohama.
Cleared on the same day for Manila.

Sagres (Williams & Co.), British
str., Capt. M. Morren, 1,443 tons,
arrived on October 14 from Kampha.
Berthing at Taitoo Sugar B. Wharf.

Scalena (A. P. C.), British steamer,
Capt. C. Asquith, 3,435 tons, arrived
Oct. 23 from Baron, cargo-fuel oil.
Lying at North Point.

Selatan (Douglas & Co.), British
steamer, Capt. R. C. Croer, 1,571 tons,
arrived on October 24 from Swatow.
Berthing at Douglas Wharf.

Shantung (B. & S.), British steamer,
Capt. J. Whyte, 1,858 tons, arrived
October 24 from Amoy, general cargo.
Mooring at buoy No. B21.

Shirala (B.I. & Apcar Line), British
steamer, Captain T. S. Beale, 4,872
tons, arrived Oct. 27 from Calcutta via
Singapore. Cleared Oct. 28 for Amoy.

Soochow (Butterfield & Swire), British
str., Capt. J. Hedges, 1,594 tons,
arrived on October 25 from Shanghai.
Mooring at buoy No. B3.

Szechuan (Butterfield & Swire), British
str., Captain J. Atkins, 1,594 tons,
arrived on October 28 from Swatow.
Mooring at buoy No. B10.

Tai Po (B. & S.), British steamer,
Capt. J. Bonnamour, 1,219
tons, arrived Oct. 28 from K. C. Wan.
Mooring at buoy No. C1.

Tin Song (Tai Fung & Co.), Chinese
steamer, Captain Kwok Shan, 943 tons,
mooring at buoy No. B10.

Tinggara (J. C. J. Line), Dutch
str., Captain J. Adrianna, 5,783 tons,
arrived on October 28 from Manila.
Mooring at buoy No. A3.

Tonjer (Dodwell & Co.), Norwegian
steamer, Captain D. W. James, 2,949
tons, arrived October 25 from Manila.
Lying at Lai Chi Kok.

Toyooka Maru (N. Y. K.), Japanese
str., Captain S. Shimizu, 4,388 tons,
arrived on October 28 from Sakito.
Cleared on the same day for Singapore.

Troilus (Butterfield & Swire), British
str., Captain D. W. James, 4,658
tons, arrived October 25 from Manila.
Lying at Lai Chi Kok.

Tsiman (Butterfield & Swire), British
steamer, Capt. S. Barling, 2,100 tons,
arrived on October 24 from Foochow.
Cleared Oct. 28 for Amoy.

Uitta (Dodwell & Co.), Norwegian
steamer, Capt. H. Kramo, 2,345 tons,
lying at Lai Chi Kok.

Vardana (A. P. C.), Norwegian str.,
Captain F. Larsen, 1,890 tons, at North
Point Wharf.

Wichita (Thorsen & Co.), American
str., Captain J. V. Redmond, 3,833
tons, arrived on October 27 from Cebu.
Lying at North Point.

Ying Hsiang (Yee Tai Hong), Chinese
steamer, Capt. S. Konroff, 925 tons,
lying at Yau-mat.

Yochow (Butterfield & Swire), British
steamer, Captain D. Wilson, 1,530 tons,
arrived on October 27 from Amoy.
Mooring at buoy No. B20.

Yoh Hsing (Gibb Livingston & Co.),
Chinese str., Captain E. Rostad, 2,701
tons.

Yunmow (Heaps & Co.), Chinese
steamer, Capt. K. Nicoloff, 651 tons,
lying at Peng Chau Island.

ARRIVALS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28.

Toyooka Maru, Japanese steamer, Cap-
tain S. Shimizu, 4,388 tons, from
Sakito, gen. cargo, buoy No. A4.

Rheinland, German steamer, Captain
Rholls, 4,921 tons, from Yokohama,
general cargo, mooring at buoy
No. A3.—Jensen & Co.

Hong Siang, British steamer, Capt. D.
Cole, 2,140 tons, from Swatow,
lying at buoy No. A5.—Ho Thong
& Co.

Petronella, Dutch steamer, Captain R.
J. ter Meulen, 1,321 tons, from
Balikpapan, cargo—fuel oil, mooring
at Tai Kok Tui.—A. P. C.

President Grant, American steamer,
Captain B. B. Clark, 8,405 tons,
from Kobe, general cargo, berthing
at Kowloon Wharf.—American Mail
Line.

Ranchi, British steamer, Captain J.
A. Smith, 8,849 tons, from London
via Singapore, general cargo,
berthing at Kowloon Wharf.—
M. M. & Co.

Nellora, British steamer, Captain J.
Scott-White, 4,322 tons, from Moji,
general cargo, lying at Hong Kong
and Whampoa Dock.—M. M. &
Co.

Benary, British steamer, Captain Watt,
3,750 tons, from Manila, general
cargo, lying at Naval buoy No. 3.—
W. R. Loxley & Co.

Tinggara, Dutch steamer, Captain
J. Adrianna, 5,783 tons, from
Manila, general cargo, mooring
at buoy No. A3.—Java-China-Japan
Line.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27.

Lye-moon, British steamer, Captain
E. Holmes, 1,734 tons, from
Saigon, general cargo, and rice,
mooring at buoy No. B12.—W. R. Loxley
& Co.

Yochow, British steamer, Captain
D. Wilson, 1,530 tons, from Amoy,
general cargo, mooring at buoy
No. B20.—E. & S.

Greta Maersk, Danish steamer, Captain
Andersen, 4,025 tons, from Kobe,
general cargo, berthing at Kowloon
Wharf.—Jensen & Co.

Wichita, American steamer, Captain
J. V. Redmond, 3,833 tons, from
Cebu, general cargo, berthing at
North Point Wharf.—Thorsen and
Co.

CLEARANCES

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28.

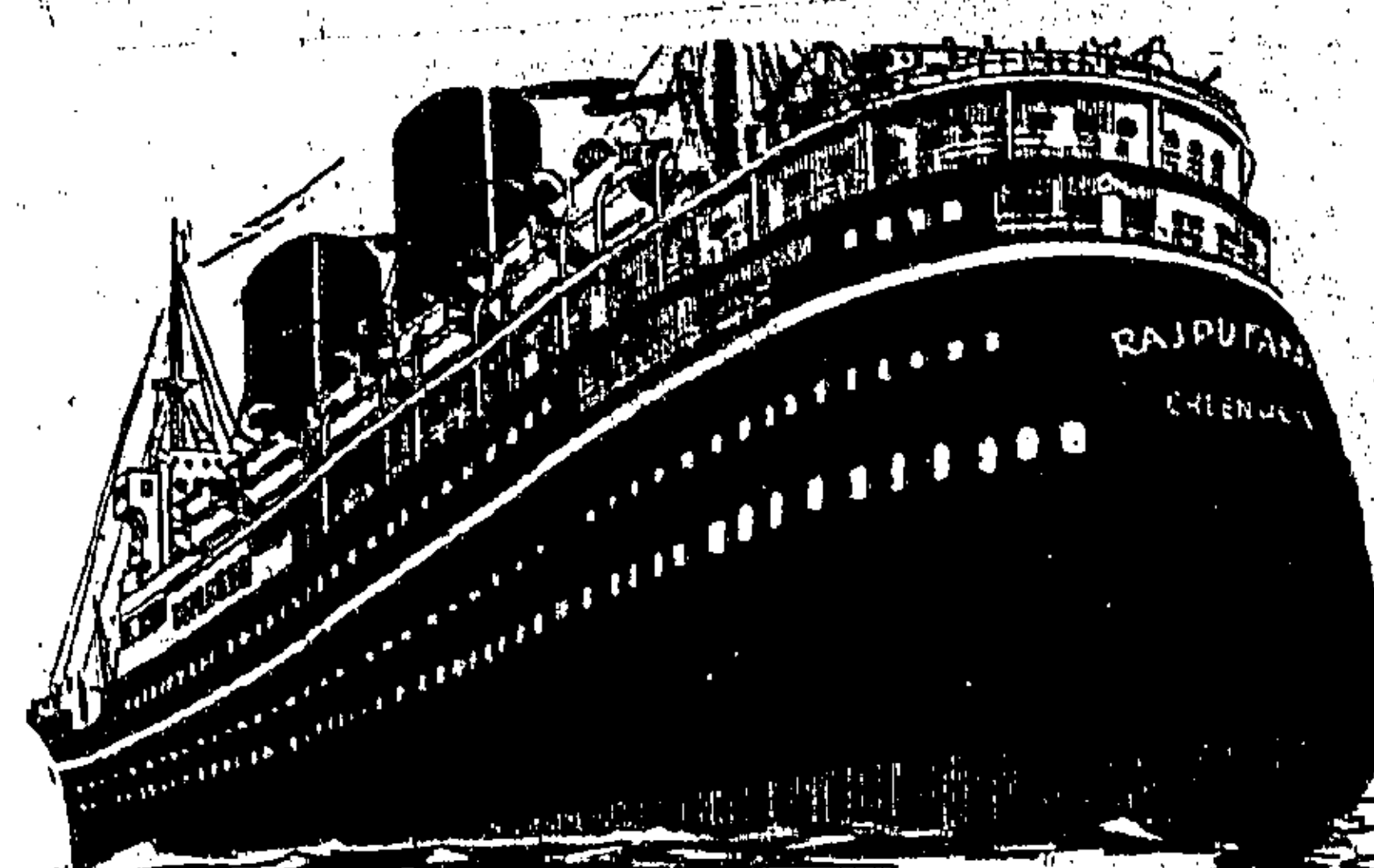
Shirala for Amoy.
Hong Kong Maru for Keelung.
Toyooka Maru for Singapore.

Tonjan for Amoy.
Kalgan for Swatow.
Helios for Swatow.
Rheinland for Manila.

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		Hongkong	(About)

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL SAILINGS

CARTHAGE	14,500	30th Oct. Noon	Marseilles & London
*BANGALORE	6,000	6th Nov.	B'ham, Harb., Havre, L'don, Hull, R'm, H'g., & Antwerp
*OZARDA	5,000	12th Nov.	Bombay & Karachi
CONORLIN	15,000	14th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
RANCHI	17,000	17th Nov.	do
*BHUTAN	6,000	4th Dec.	B'ham, Harb., Havre, London, Hull, R'm, H'g., & Antwerp
RAJPUTANA	17,000	11th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*BEHAR	6,000	18th Dec.	B'ham, Harb., Havre, L'don, Hull, R'm, H'g., & Antwerp
RANPURA	17,000	26th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*BOUDAN	7,000	1st Jan.	Marseilles, Havre, L'don, Hull, R'm, H'g., & Antwerp
RAWALPINDI	17,000	8th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
COFU	14,500	22nd Jan.	do

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BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS

SIRDHANA	8,000	4th Nov.	Singapore, Port Swettenham
SHIRALA	8,000	18th Nov.	Penang, Rangoon & Calcutta
TILAWA	10,000	2nd Dec.	
SANTHA	9,000	16th Dec.	
TALMA	10,000	15th Jan.	

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NELLORE	7,000	30 Oct. 1.30 a.m.	Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane
TANDA	7,000	1st Dec.	Sydney, Melbourne & Hobart
NANKIN	7,000	2nd Jan.	

SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN

